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COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT:

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ENCLOSURE FOR WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE FORWARDED BSM:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: 6/5/85,

WITHOUT FAIL: {B}

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE
INVESTIGATION OF CAPTIONED INDIVIDUAL FOR PRESIDENTIAL
APPOINTMENT TO THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE,
WHICH REQUIRES SENATE CONFIRMATION:

APPOINTEE DESCRIBED AS BORN MAY 14, 1936, IN PEMBROKE,
ONTARIO, CANADA, AND HAS SSAN: 450-56-0731:

RESIDENCES: 1978 TO PRESENT, 338 E. 19TH STREET, NEW
YORK, NEW YORK; 1961 TO 1978, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK; 1960 TO
1961, MASSENA, NEW YORK; 1955 TO 1960, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI;
1953 TO 1955, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

EDUCATION: CONCORDIA COLLEGE, AUSTIN, TEXAS, 1953 TO
1955, ABA; CONCORDIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, ST. LOUIS,
MISSOURI, 1955 TO 1960, BA, M.D.V.

EMPLOYMENT: 1984 TO PRESENT, ROCKFORD INSTITUTE

[REDACTED] 152 MADISON, NEW YORK, NEW YORK,

DIRECTOR; 1972 TO 1983, COUNCIL ON RELIGION AND

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS [REDACTED] 170 E:

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64TH STREET, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, PART-TIME EDITOR; 1961 TO

1978, ST: JOHN THE EVANGELIST LUTHERAN CHURCH, 195 MAUJER

STREET, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, PASTOR; 1960 TO 1961, ST:

PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, MASSENA, NEW YORK, PASTOR;

ARRESTS: 2 TO 3 TRESPASSING CHARGES IN CONNECTION WITH

CIVIL RIGHTS AND ANTI-WAR PROTEST; 1961 TO 1971, NEW YORK,

NEW YORK, NEW YORK CITY POLICE, CHARGES SUSPENDED; 1968,

TRESPASSING, CHICAGO, CHICAGO POLICE, CHARGES SUSPENDED;

RELATIVES: MOTHER, ELLA NEUHAUS, DATE OF BIRTH,

NOVEMBER 28, 1902, IN CROCKETT BLUFF, ARKANSAS; RESIDES 451

MILLER, PEMBROKE, ONTARIO; FATHER {DECEASED}, CLEMENS

NEUHAUS, DATE OF BIRTH, OCTOBER, 1900, IN STEELVILLE,

ILLINOIS; [REDACTED]

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STATES SECRET SERVICE; CONTACT REPRESENTATIVE OF NATIONAL

COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, TELEPHONE 544-2350; AND LUTHERAN

COUNCIL IN THE USA, TELEPHONE 484-3450, FOR COMMENTS

CONCERNING NEUHAUS' COMPETENCE, CHARACTER, AND INTEGRITY:

PITTSBURGH: CHECK OPM:

ALBANY, NEW YORK, SAINT LOUIS, SAN ANTONIO ARE ALSO

INSTRUCTED TO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICES

WHEREVER APPOINTEE HAS LIVED OR WORKED AS AN ADULT TO

DETERMINE IF ANY INFORMATION INDICATING FEDERAL PROSECUTIVE
ACTION CONCERNING APPOINTEE:NEW YORK, AS PRINCIPAL OFFICE, ENSURE AT LEAST THIRTY
PERSONS KNOWLEDGEABLE CONCERNING APPOINTEE ARE INTERVIEWED:APPOINTEE WILL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE DECISIONS CONCERNING
POLICY AND PERSONNEL MATTERS; THEREFORE, DURING INTERVIEWS,
DETERMINE IF APPOINTEE HAS EXPRESSED OR MANIFESTED ANY BIAS
OR PREJUDICE AGAINST ANY CLASS OF CITIZEN OR ANY RELIGIOUS,
RACIAL OR ETHNIC GROUP:INVESTIGATION SHOULD RECEIVE PRIORITY ATTENTION AND
RECEIVING OFFICES SHOULD TELEPHONICALLY ADVISE FBIHQ OF ANY
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RECEIVING OFFICES NOTE THAT ALL PERIODS OF APPOINTEE'S

LIFE MUST BE ACCOUNTED FOR AND IF DURING THE COURSE OF

INVESTIGATION UNEXPLAINED OR UNACCOUNTED FOR GAPS ARE

IDENTIFIED, LEADS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO HAVE APPOINTEE

CONTACTED AND TO HAVE HIS ACTIVITIES DURING SPECIFIC

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 20, 1985

(Date)

TO: FBI, LIAISON
FROM: FRED F. FIELDING
SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Subject's Name NEUHAUS, RICHARD JOHN (SS#: 450-56-0731)
Date of Birth 5/14/36 Place of Birth Pembroke, Ontario
Present Address 338 E. 19th St., New York, NY

We request: Copy of Previous Report
Name Check Expanded Name Check
X Full Field Investigation NO IRS TO FBI
Limited Update

The person named above is being considered for:

White House Staff Position

X Presidential Appointment *(PAS)
*Senate Confirmation

Attachments:

X SF 86 1 2
X SF 87, Fingerprint Card
X SF 86, Supplement

Remarks/Special Instructions:

U. S. Institute of Peace

NOTE: WE DO HAVE COPIES OF THE 1968, 1969,
1970-1971 REPORTS

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Standard Form 86

AUGUST 1964
U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
(F.P.M. CHAPTER 736)
86-107SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA
FOR SENSITIVE POSITION

CASE SERIAL NO. (CSC use only)

INSTRUCTIONS.—Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

1. FULL NAME <i>(Initials and abridgements of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show "(NMN)"; if initials only, show "(no given or middle name)"</i>		(LAST NAME) Neuhaus	(FIRST NAME) Richard	(MIDDLE NAME) John	2. DATE OF BIRTH 14 May 1936
OTHER NAMES USED. <i>(Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.)</i>		3. PLACE OF BIRTH PEMBROKE, ONT. Canada			
		4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE, <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE			
5. HEIGHT 5' 10"		WEIGHT 164		COLOR EYES Grey	
				COLOR HAIR brown	
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED		7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED. GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. <i>(Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.)</i>			
8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. <i>(If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both. Begin with present and go back to January 1, 1937. Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.)</i>					
FROM	TO	NUMBER AND STREET	CITY	STATE	
1978 -	Present	338 E. 19 St.	NY	NY	NY
1961 -	1978	195 Maujer St.	Bklyn.	NY	NY
1960 -	1961	10 Douglas Rd.	Massena	NY	AL
1955 -	1960	801 DeMun	St. Louis	MO	SL
1953 -	1955	Concordia College	Austin	TX	SA
1952 -	1953	1500 E. St.	Cisco	TX	
1936 -	1952	357 Miller St.	Pembroke	ONT	
<u>Western Europe</u> <u>Mexico</u> <u>S.A.F.R.</u> <u>Algeria</u>					
9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. CITIZEN		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BY BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZED		ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.	
<input type="checkbox"/> ALIEN		CERT. NO.		PETITION NO.	
		<input type="checkbox"/> DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO(S).			
REGISTRATION NO.		NATIVE COUNTRY		DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY	
10. EDUCATION. <i>(All schools above elementary.)</i>					
NAME OF SCHOOL		ADDRESS	FROM (Year)	TO (Year)	DEGREES
Concordia High School		Seward NE	1951	1952	
Concordia College		Austin TX	1953	1955	SA A.B.A.
Concordia Theological Seminary		St. Louis MO	1955	1960	SL B.A., M.DV.
11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. <i>(See also item 29.)</i>		12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 450-56-0731			
		13. MILITARY SERVICE <i>(Past or present)</i> NONE			
		SERIAL NO. <i>(If none, give grade or rating at separation)</i>	BRANCH OF SERVICE <i>(Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)</i>	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)
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19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DATE LEFT U.S.A.</u>	<u>DATE RETURNED U.S.A.</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>
Western Europe	1969	1969	Tourism
Mexico	1953	1953	Tourism
African Countries	1971	1971	Research
South Africa	1983	1983	Research

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

<u>NAME IN FULL</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>OFFICE HELD</u>
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24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

<u>NAME IN FULL</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>OFFICE HELD</u>
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NONE

25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

<u>RELATION</u>	<u>NAME IN FULL</u>	<u>YEAR OF BIRTH</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>COUNTRY OF BIRTH</u>	<u>PRESENT CITIZENSHIP</u>
Mother	Ella Neuhaus	11-28-1902	451 Miller	USA	CANADA
	phone# 613-732-7508		Pembroke, Ont.		
Father	Clemens Neuhaus	1900	Simcoe, Ont.	USA	CANADA
(dead)		2-12			

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14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.
(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

FROM	TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND SUPERVISOR (Full name, if known)	ADDRESS (Where employed)	TYPE OF WORK	REASON FOR LEAVING
1984	Present	Rockford Institute John Howard.	152 Madison NY, NY	Director	NY -
1972	1983	Council on Religion and International Affairs, Robert Myers (Part-time employment)	170 E. 64th St. NY, NY	Editor	New Position
1961	1978	St. John The Evangelist Lutheran Church	195 Maujer St. Bklyn, NY	Pastor	New Position
1960	1961	St. Paul's Lutheran Church	Massena, NY	Pastor	New Position AL

16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.
(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY?
(You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☒ YES ☐ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

DATE	CHARGE	PLACE	LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY	ACTION TAKEN
1961 to 1971	2 or 3 trespassing changes in connection with civil rights and anti-war protest	NYC	NYC Police	SUSPENDED OR CHARGES DISMISSED
1968	Trespassing	Chicago	CG Chicago Police	SUSPENDED

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: May 20, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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FROM:

JANE DANNENHAUER

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Assistant to the Counsel
to the President (Security)

SUBJECT:

NEUHAUS, RICHARD JOHN

The following information was provided to this office telephonically by Mr. Neuhaus regarding Question 25 of his SF 86:

<u>RELATION</u>	<u>DATE OF BIRTH</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Mother	11/28/02	Crockett Bluff, b6
Father	10/? /00	Steelville, IL b7C

SUPPLEMENT TO SF-86
(Attach additional pages if necessary)

1. Please furnish the names and addresses of all corporations, firms or other business enterprises, partnerships, nonprofit organizations, and educational or other institutions with which you are presently associated or have been associated during the past five years either as officer, director, trustee, sole owner, partner or stockholder with controlling interest.

Community of Christ in the City, Bread for the World,
Theology Today (journal), Lutheran Forum (journal),
Immanuel Church, Center for the Study of Social Change
(Smith College), Council on Religion and International
Affairs, Institute on Religion and Democracy, Ethics and
Public Policy Center, Center on Religion and Society.

X

2. Have you ever been a candidate for Federal, state or local elected office, or a treasurer or other officer of a political committee? Were there any complaints lodged with the Federal Election Commission or state or local election authorities against you or your political committee? If so, please explain.

Local - Community District Board, Brooklyn, NY

X

3. Do you maintain any residence other than your permanent residence; e.g., vacation home? If so, please furnish address.

NONE

4. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by, or been the subject of a complaint to, any court, administrative agency, professional association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If so, please give full details.

NO

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5. To your knowledge have your activities or those of any of your business enterprises, or associates in those enterprises, ever been the subject of criminal investigation, or a civil enforcement investigation or proceeding? If so, please give full details.

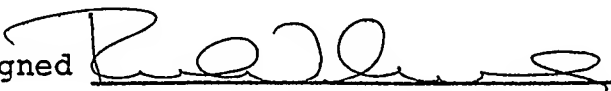
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6. Have you every been a party in any civil court action? If so, please give full details.

NO

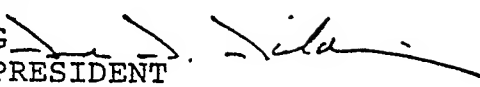
I understand that the information being provided on this supplement to the SF-86 is to be considered part of the original SF-86 dated 5/14/85 and a false statement on this form is punishable by law.

Signed



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM FOR PROSPECTIVE APPOINTEES

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING 
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

This letter confirms in writing your express consent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to investigate your background in connection with the consideration of your application for employment.

You should be aware that the authority to collect this background information is based on the President's executive powers in Article II of the Constitution. The information will be used to obtain necessary clearances to assist you in your work. The background information, which includes a review of FBI files, will be disclosed to another Federal agency, to assist in its process of clearing you. Willfully making a false statement, or concealing a material fact, may constitute a violation of Section 1001, Title 18, of the U.S. Code.

If you provide any information which indicates a violation of law, whether civil, criminal or regulatory in nature, it will be referred to the appropriate Federal, state, local or foreign agency.


By volunteering information concerning activities protected by the First Amendment, it will be assumed that you are expressly authorizing the maintenance of this information in the records of any Federal agency.

The FBI investigation will include the collection and use of relevant information in the files of various Federal agencies and it is necessary that you authorize the disclosure of such information to the FBI.

If you consent to such an investigation, and to the disclosure of relevant information by other Federal departments and agencies to the FBI, please sign your name below and return this original letter of consent to me.

Thank you.

Name (please print) RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Signature  Date 5/7/85

AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; law enforcement records (including, but not limited to any record of charge, prosecution, or conviction for criminal or civil offenses); and credit records, including credit card and payment device numbers. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as is described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, retail business establishment, law enforcement agency, or criminal justice agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any question as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name:

Richard John Neuhaus
Signature

Full Name:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS
Type or Print Name

Parent or Guardian
(if required):

Date:

5/7/85

Current
Address:

152 MADISON, NY NY 10016

Telephone
Number:

(212) 532-4320

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1 NCIC Room 7233 TL 243
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FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 5161 TL 233

SUBJECT: Richard John Neuhaus SPIN, BUDED: 6-5-85

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The Bureau has been requested to conduct an expedite investigation of the above-captioned subject, who is being considered for an unspecified Presidential appointment. The indicated unit is requested to check appropriate indices based upon available information concerning subject, employment, and all close relatives. It is requested that the results of your checks, positive or negative, be indicated in the spaces provided below, and relayed to the Special Inquiry Unit (SPIN), Room 5161, TL 233, via routing slip marked "Urgent", on or before Buded.

Subject is described as follows:

Result

NCIC - NR

III - NR

Name: Richard John Neuhaus
 DOB: 5-14-36
 POB: Pembroke, Ontario
 SSAN: 450-56-0731
 Current residence: 338 East 19th St.
New York, NY
 Employment: Rockford Institute
NY, NY

Close Relatives:

Result	Relationship	Name	DOB	Residence
NCIC - NR III - too old	Mother	Ella Neuhaus	11-28-02	Pembroke, ONT.
NCIC - Manual Search - NR III - too old	Father	Clemens Neuhaus	1900	deceased

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<u>Result</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Residence</u>
<u>No Record</u>	<u>Mother</u>	<u>Ella Neuhaus</u>	<u>11-28-02</u>	<u>Pembroke, ONT.</u>
<u>No Record</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Clemens Neuhaus</u>	<u>1900</u>	<u>deceased</u>

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FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 5161 TL 233

SUBJECT: Richard John Neuhaus SPIN, BUDED: 6-5-85

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Subject is described as follows:

Result

Name: Richard John Neuhaus *negative*
 DOB: 5-14-36
 POB: Pembroke, Ontario
 SSAN: 450-56-0731
 Current residence: 338 East 19th St.
New York, NY
 Employment: Rockford Institute
NY, NY

Close Relatives:

<u>Result</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Residence</u>
<u>neg</u>	<u>mother</u>	<u>Ella Neuhaus</u>	<u>11-28-02</u>	<u>Pembroke, ONT.</u>
<u>neg</u>	<u>father</u>	<u>Clemens Neuhaus</u>	<u>1900</u>	<u>deceased</u>

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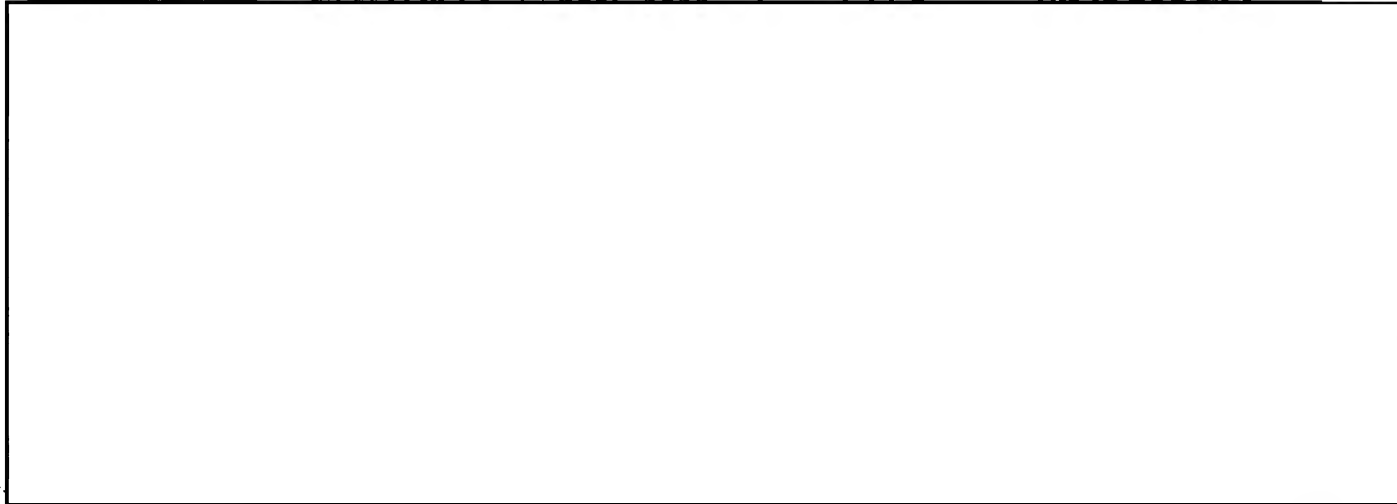
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A search of the fingerprints on the above individual has failed to disclose prior arrest data.

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19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE
Western Europe	1969	1969	Tourism
Mexico	1953	1953	Tourism
African Countries	1971	1971	Research
South Africa	1983	1983	Research

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

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24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

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25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	YEAR OF BIRTH	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
Mother	Ella Neuhaus	11-28-1902	451 Miller	USA	CANADA
	phone# 613-732-7508		Pembroke, Ont.		
Father	Clemens Neuhaus	1900	Simcoe, Ont.	USA	CANADA
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Subject Neuhaus, Richard John

Birthdate & Place _____

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Subject Neuhaus, Ella
 Birthdate & Place 11-28-02, Pembroke USA
 Address Pembroke, Ontario
aka Mrs. Clemens Neuhaus
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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: 6/5/85

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE

INVESTIGATION OF NEUHAUS FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT TO

THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE; WHICH REQUIRES SENATE

CONFIRMATION: BORN MAY 14, 1936, IN PEMBROKE; ONTARIO;

CANADA, AND HAS SSAN: 450-56-0731.

OTTAWA: CONDUCT CRIMINAL AND SECURITY CHECKS REGARDING

MOTHER, ELLA NEUHAUS; BORN NOVEMBER 28, 1902, IN CROCKETT

BLUFF, ARKANSAS, AND RESIDES AT 451 MILLER; PEMBROKE;

ONTARIO, CANADA: ALSO; ATTEMPT TO VERIFY APPOINTEE'S BIRTH

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RECEIVING OFFICES CHECK INDICES AND ELSUR FILES BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT:

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LOUIS, SAN ANTONIO, SPRINGFIELD, AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
SHOULD NOT RUC UPON COMPLETION OF THE ABOVE RECORD CHECKS AS
ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION IS FORTHCOMING:

NEUHAUS IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED AS DIRECTOR, ROCKFORD
INSTITUTE, 152 MADISON, NEW YORK, NEW YORK; IS DESCRIBED AS
BORN MAY 14, 1936, IN PEMBROKE, ONTARIO, CANADA; RESIDES 338
E: 19TH STREET, NEW YORK, NEW YORK; AND HAS SSAN: 450-56-
0731:

CLOSE RELATIVES: MOTHER, ELLA NEUHAUS, DATE OF BIRTH,
NOVEMBER 28, 1902, IN CROCKETT BLUFF, ARKANSAS; RESIDES 451
MILLER, PEMBROKE, ONTARIO; FATHER {DECEASED}, CLEMENS NEUHAUS,
DATE OF BIRTH, OCTOBER, 1900, IN STEELVILLE, ILLINOIS;

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REBUTELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, 5/25/85, RECEIVED IN
SAVANNAH DIVISION 5/26/85.

SAVANNAH OFFICE INDICES AND ELSUR INDICES NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE
RELATIVES AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT AS LISTED IN RETELETYPE.

OFFICE INDICES WERE SEARCHED BY SPC [REDACTED] 5/26/85
AND FILE ASSISTANT (SECURITY) [REDACTED] 5/28/85.

ELSUR INDICES SEARCHED BY FILE ASSISTANT (TYPING) [REDACTED]

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED MAY 25, 1985.

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A REVIEW OF THE CINCINNATI OFFICE GENERAL INDICES BY

INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANT [REDACTED] ELSUR INDEX BY ELSUR

FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED] AND INFORMANT FILE INDEX BY

CONFIDENTIAL CLERK [REDACTED] ON MAY 28, 1985, BASED UPON

INFORMATION FURNISHED CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES

IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, MET WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. THESE SEARCHES

ALSO INCLUDE APPOINTEE'S PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JUNE 5, 1985, WITHOUT
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RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 25, 1985, THE ALBUQUERQUE GENERAL AND ELSUR INDICES WERE
CHECKED FOR APPOINTEE, HIS EMPLOYER AND MEMBERS OF APPOINTEE'S
FAMILY BY [REDACTED] WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED OR FURTHER INVESTIGATION BEING CON-
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REBUTEL TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

ANCHORAGE DIVISION GENERAL INDICES, AS CHECKED BY SCA

[REDACTED] ON MAY 26, 1985, AND ELSUR INDICES, AS

CHECKED BY SAC SECRETARY [REDACTED] ON MAY 28, 1985,

NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT

EMPLOYMENT, AS SET FORTH IN REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE.

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Memorandum



To : DIRECTOR, FBI

Date May 30, 1985

From : SAC, SAN JUAN (161B-900)(CRUC)

Subject :

Richard John Neuhaus; Special Inquiry;
Buded: 6/5/85 without fail.

Re Bureau teletype to all offices dated May 25, 1985.

The following listed indices were searched in reference to appointee, close relatives, and present business establishment with negative results.

Listed below are the San Juan office personnel who conducted these searches:

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: 6/5/85

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REFERENCE BUREAU AIRTEL TO FBI ALBANY, ET AL,

DATED 5/25/85.

WASHINGTON OFFICE,

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, ADVISED THAT HER ORGANI-

ZATION IS HEADQUARTERED IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CONCERNING THE

APPOINTEE, QUALIFYING HER REMARKS BY ADVISING THAT SHE

WAS NOT SPEAKING AS AN OFFICAL SPOKESPERSON FOR THE

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES.

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IN HIS CAPACITY AS SPOKESPERSON FOR THE INSTITUTE ON RELIGION AND DEMOCRACY, THE APPOINTEE HAS MADE ATTACKS ON THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES THAT [REDACTED] CONSIDERED TO BE "UNFAIR AND INACCURATE." [REDACTED] CITED A SEGMENT OF A "60 MINUTES" BROADCAST IN WHICH THE APPOINTEE CHARGED THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES WITH FUNNELING MONEY TO LEFT WING GOVERNMENTS. [REDACTED] STATED THAT THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES HAS NEVER DONE THIS, AND THAT INFORMATION PUBLICLY AVAILABLE AT THE TIME THE APPOINTEE MADE HIS CHARGES WOULD HAVE DISPROVED THE CHARGES.

FOR OFFICIAL COMMENTS CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE'S COMPETENCE, CHARACTER AND INTEGRITY, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT INQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AT THE COUNCIL'S HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

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OFFICE, LUTHERAN COUNCIL IN THE USA, ADVISED THAT HER ORGANIZATION IS HEADQUARTERED IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THE LUTHERAN COUNCIL'S HEADQUARTERS SHOULD BE CONTACTED FOR COMMENTS CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE'S COMPETENCE, CHARACTER, AND INTEGRITY. SHE SUPPLIED THE NAME OF THE [REDACTED] OF THE COUNCIL, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AND THE TELEPHONE NUMBER 212-532-6350.

LEADS. NEW YORK AT NEW YORK. WILL CONTACT THE OFFICE OF THE [REDACTED] OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, [REDACTED] FOR COMMENTS CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE'S COMPETENCE, CHARACTER, AND INTEGRITY.

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WILL CONTACT THE OFFICE OF THE [REDACTED] OF THE LUTHERAN COUNCIL IN THE USA, [REDACTED] FOR COMMENTS CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE'S COMPETENCE, CHARACTER, AND INTEGRITY.

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ON MAY 29, 1985, THE OFFICE AND ELSUR INDICES OF THE PHOENIX
OFFICE WERE SEARCHED BY [REDACTED]
AND NO RECORDS WERE LOCATED ON THE APPLICANT AND APPLICANT'S
RELATIVES.

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ON MAY 29, 1985, THE GNERAL OFFICE INDICES AND THE ELSUR
INDICES OF THE BOSON DIVISION WERE SEARCHED BY IA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS RE IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING
APPOINTEE AND HIS CLOSE RELATIVES BASED ON INFORMATION SET FORTH
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A DATA BASE FOR ISIS AT THIS TIME.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES DATED MAY 25, 1985.

THE CHARLOTTE OFFICE INDICES WERE SEARCHED BY COMPLAINT AND
SECURITY ASSISTANT [REDACTED] ON MAY 26, 1985. THE

ELSUR AND SECURITY INDICES WERE SEARCHED BY FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ON MAY 28, 1985. ALL SEARCHES MET WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS IN
REGARDS TO APPOINTEE AND APPOINTEE'S CLOSE RELATIVES.

NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED BY CHARLOTTE, UACB.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED MAY 28, 1985.

WHERE APPROPRIATE, PRIVACY ACT (E) (3) DATA WAS FURNISHED TO PERSONS INTERVIEWED. EXPRESS PROMISES OF CONFIDENTIALITY, BOTH LIMITED AND UNLIMITED, HAVE BEEN NOTED WHERE GRANTED.

ON MAY 28, 1985, THE ELSUR INDICES OF THE RICHMOND DIVISION, AS CHECKED BY MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS EXAMINER [REDACTED] THE INFORMANT INDICES, AS CHECKED BY CLERK [REDACTED] AND THE GENERAL INDICES, AS CHECKED BY CLERK [REDACTED] WERE NEGATIVE AS TO APPOINTEE AND ALL CLOSE RELATIVES.

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A REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH INDICES AND ELSUR FILES FAILED TO LOCATE ANY INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBERS OF HIS IMMEDIATE FAMILY.

INDICES CHECKS WERE CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED] AND ELSUR

CHECKS WERE CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED]

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, DATED 5/25/85.

SEARCH OF GENERAL AND ELSUR INDICES OF THE OMAHA DIVISION
NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES. GENERAL INDICES SEARCHED
BY [REDACTED] ON 5/25/85. ELSUR INDICES SEARCHED BY
[REDACTED] ON 5/28/85.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FBI FIELD OFFICES DATED
MAY 25, 1985.

BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE,
RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, HIS CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS
ESTABLISHMENT, THE GENERAL INDICES OF THE LOUISVILLE OFFICE
WERE SEARCHED ON MAY 26, 1985, AND THE ELSUR INDICES WERE
SEARCHED ON MAY 29, 1985, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

THE LOUISVILLE GENERAL INDICES WERE SEARCHED BY RECORDS
UNIT CLERK [REDACTED] AND THE ELSUR INDICES WERE
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ON THE DATES INDICATED, THE FOLLOWING KNOXVILLE INDICES
WERE CHECKED AND NO INFORMATION CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE,
LISTED RELATIVES, OR PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT WAS LOCATED:

(1) GENERAL INDICES - NEGATIVE, CHECKED BY [REDACTED] ON 5/26/85

(2) INFORMANT AND ELSUR INDICES - NEGATIVE, CHECKED BY
FA [REDACTED] ON 5/28/85

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RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 26, 1985.

A CHECK OF THE SALT LAKE CITY GENERAL INDICES BY SECURITY

COMPLAINT ASSISTANT [REDACTED] ON MAY 26, 1985; ELSUR

INDICES BY CONFIDENTIAL CLERK (TYPIST) [REDACTED]

ON MAY 28, 1985; AND INFOANT INDICES CFIDENTIAL

CLERK (FILING) [REDACTED] ON MAY 28, 1985, REFLECTED

NOTHING IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, OR

BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 26, 1985, SPC [REDACTED], OKLAHOMA CITY

DIVISION, CHECKED GENERAL INDICES FOR APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES:

FILE CLERK [REDACTED] REVIEWED CONFIDENTIAL INDICES FOR

APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES ON MAY 30, 1985; [REDACTED] FILE

ASSISTANT, SEARCHED THE ELSUR FILES ON MAY 29, 1985, FOR APPOINTEE

AND CLOSE RELATIVES: [REDACTED] ISIS, MADE ISIS NAME CHECK

FOR APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES ON MAY 29, 1985. ALL FILES

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED MAY 25, 1985.

GENERAL OFFICE AND ELSUR INDICES CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE
INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICANT OR THOSE IMMEDIATE FAMILY
MEMBERS LISTED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE.

IN ADDITION, GENERAL OFFICE AND ELSUR INDICES NEGATIVE
REGARDING APPLICANT'S EMPLOYMENT FIRM.

GENERAL OFFICE INDICES SEARCH CONDUCTED ON MAY 26, 1985 BY

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ELSUR INDICES SEARCH CONDUCTED ON MAY 29, 1985, BY FILE SEP 24 1985

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REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

THE FOLLOWING CHECKS WERE CONDUCTED IN LAS VEGAS
DIVISION REGARDING APPOINTEE AND FAMILY MEMBERS BY THE
INDIVIDUALS LISTED BELOW, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS:

GENERAL INDICES, INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANT [REDACTED]

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 28, 1985, THE HOUSTON DIVISION GENERAL INDICES WERE
CHECKED BY INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANT [REDACTED] THE CONFIDENTIAL FILES WERE REVIEWED BY CONFIDENTIAL FILE CLERK [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND THE ELSUR FILES WERE CHECKED BY ASSISTANT ELSUR COORDINATOR [REDACTED] REGARDING THE APPOINTEE, RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, HIS CLOSE RELATIVES AND HIS PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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ON MAY 30, 1985, SEARCH OF SPRINGFIELD GENERAL AND ELSUR INDICES
RE APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES, NEGATIVE.

GENERAL INDICES SEARCH CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED]

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A SEARCH OF OFFICE INDICES BY [REDACTED] AND
ELSUR INDICES BY [REDACTED] ON MAY 29, 1985, CONCERNING
APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES WAS NEGATIVE, SACRAMENTO DIVISION.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FBI OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

SEATTLE GENERAL, CONFIDENTIAL AND ELSUR INDICES ARE NEGATIVE
REGARDING APPOINTEE AND RELATIVES.

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SEATTLE GENERAL INDICES CHECK WAS CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ON MAY 29, 1985, SEATTLE CONFIDENTIAL INDICES CHECK WAS
CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED] ON MAY 29, 1985, AND SEATTLE
ELSUR INDICES CHECK WAS CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED] ON MAY 30,
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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO MIAMI DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 30, 1985, THE FOLLOWING MIAMI OFFICE RECORDS WERE
CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS REGARDING APPLICANT AND ALL CLOSE
RELATIVES:

GENERAL OFFICE INDICES WERE CHECKED BY CLERK [REDACTED]

ELSUR INDICES WERE CHECKED BY CLERK [REDACTED]

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ON MAY 25, 1985, SUPPORT EMPLOYEE [REDACTED] REVIEWED
NORFOLK INDICES AND FOUND THEM NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE AND ALL
LISTED MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY.

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ON MAY 28, 1985, SUPPORT EMPLOYEE [REDACTED]
REVIEWED NORFOLK SECURITY AND INFORMANT INDICES AND FOUND THEM
NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE AND ALL LISTED MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY.

ON MAY 28, 1985, SUPPORT EMPLOYEE [REDACTED]
REVIEWED NORFOLK ELSUR INDICES AND FOUND THEM NEGATIVE RE
APPOINTEE AND ALL LISTED MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY.

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RE BUTEL TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

BH ELSUR AND GENERAL INDICES NEGATIVE CONCERNING APPOINTEE,
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BH ELSUR AND GENERAL INDICES SEARCHED BY IA [REDACTED]
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RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, DATED MAY 26, 1985.

ON MAY 29, 1985, GENERAL INDICES CHECKED BY CLERK

[REDACTED] AND ELSUR INDICES CHECKED BY CLERK [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS REGARDING APPOINTEE AND CLOSE
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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED:

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RE BUTELS MAY 25, 1985.

BASED ON AVAILABLE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN
REFERENCED TELETYPES, CHICAGO GENERAL, ELSUR AND
CONFIDENTIAL INDICES AND ISIS WERE CHECKED ON
MAY 24, 28, 29, 1985, BY [REDACTED]

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SPECTIVELY.

NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION LOCATED CONCERNING
APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES OR PRESENT EMPLOYMENT
WITH EXCEPTION OF THE FOLLOWING:

CHICAGO FILES (100-45886 (NO BUFILE NUMBER)

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AND 176-87 (BU FILE NUMBER 176-99) (NY FILE NUMBER 176-104) CONCERNING APPOINTEE, RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, WERE OPENED AS A RESULT OF APPOINTEE'S ARREST BY CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT (CPD) ON AUGUST 29, 1968, IN CONNECTION WITH DEMONSTRATIONS HELD IN THE VICINITY OF AND CONCERNING THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION (AUGUST 22-30, 1968).

APPOINTEE ARRESTED UNDER NAME RICHARD J. NEUHAUS, CPD IDENTIFICATION RECORD NUMBER 214323, ON A CHARGE OF "DISORDERLY" THIS RECORD REFLECTS NEUHAUS CONVICTED ON APRIL 14, 1969 AND FINED \$400 AND COSTS (AMOUNT NOT INDICATED).

INFORMATION CONTAINED IN CHICAGO FILE 100-45886 IS SET OUT IN CHICAGO FILE 176-87. SINCE THE BUREAU IS IN RECEIPT OF ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION IN THESE FILES, IT IS NOT BEING FURNISHED UNDER SEPARATE AIRTEL.

CHICAGO FILE 100-44963 CAPTIONED "DEMCON" (BU-FILE NUMBER 157-3589) CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING NEWSPAPER ARTICLES SETTING FORTH INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE.

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CHICAGO SUN-TIMES DATED AUGUST 30, 1968,
CAPTIONED "ARREST DELEGATES AS TROOPS BEAT BACK
MARCHERS."

CHICAGO TRIBUNE DATED AUGUST 30, 1968,
CAPTIONED "2,000 FLEE TO PARK IN TEAR GAS ATTACKS."

CHICAGO DAILY NEWS DATED AUGUST 30, 1968,
CAPTIONED "AIDES DRAGGED FROM BEDS-COPS RAID GENE'S
HQ."

IT IS NOTED THAT COPIES OF THE ABOVE ARTICLES
WERE SENT TO THE BUREAU.

CHICAGO GENERAL INDICES CONTAIN NUMEROUS
REFERENCES ON THE NAMES [REDACTED] AND

[REDACTED] BASED ON AVAILABLE INFORMATION IT
CANNOT BE DETERMINED IF THESE ARE IDENTICAL WITH
APPOINTEE'S REFERENCES/ASSOCIATES.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON THE DATES INDICATED, THE FOLLOWING RECORDS OF THE LOS
ANGELES DIVISION WERE SEARCHED BY THE NAMED FBI PERSONNEL:

NO RECORD WAS IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR THE
APPOINTEE'S LISTED ADULT RELATIVES, OR, IF THERE WAS A RECORD,
IT DID NOT CONTAIN ANY DEROGATORY INFORMATION:

CRIMINAL INFORMANT INDICES CHECKED ON MAY 30, 1985, BY
SUPPORT PERSON [REDACTED]

ELSUR RECORDS CHECKED ON MAY 28, 1985, BY SUPPORT PERSON
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ISIS CHECKED ON MAY 31, 1985, BY SUPPORT PERSON
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A SEARCH OF THE LOS ANGELES INDICES BY SUPPORT PERSON

ON MAY 30, 1985 DISCLOSED NEW YORK REPORT DATED
NOVEMBER 13, 1968, TITLED "THE RESISTANCE" (NY FILE 14-382,
LA FILE 100-70116, BUFILE 14-2965) WHEREIN APPOINTEE WAS
IDENTIFIED IN AN ANTI-MILITARY INDUCTION DEMONSTRATION.
NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS FOUND IN LOS ANGELES INDICES
IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE, HIS RELATIVES OR ASSOCIATES.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.
WHERE APPROPRIATE, PRIVACY ACT (E)(3) DATA WAS FURNISHED TO
NER INTERVIEWED. EXPRESS PROMISES OF CONFIDENTIALITY, BOTH
LIMITED AND UNLIMITED, HAVE BEEN NOTED WHERE GRANTED.

ON MAY 27, 1985, A SEARCH OF THE GENERAL INDICES BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] APPLICANT CLERK, AND ON MAY 28, 1985, ELSUR INDICES BY

[REDACTED] ELSUR FILE ASSISTANT, WAS NEGATIVE CONCERNING
APPOINTEE OR HIS LISTED RELATIVES.

INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETED IN THE TAMPA DIVISION AND NO REPORT
IS BEING SUBMITTED.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 30, 1985, A REVIEW OF THE JACKSONVILLE GENERAL
INDICES, CONFIDENTIAL INDICES, ELSUR INDICES AND JACKSONVILLE ISIS
DATA BASE WAS CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS REGARDING APPOINTEE
AND CLOSE RELATIVES.

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JACKSONVILLE CHECKS CONDUCTED BY IA [REDACTED] AND

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ON MAY 28, 1985, FSA [REDACTED]

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CHECKED THE ELSUR

INDICES, AND ANALYS [REDACTED] CHECKED MILWAUKEE [REDACTED] AND

ON MAY 31, 1985, IA [REDACTED] CHECKED THE GENERAL INDICES
OF THE MILWAUKEE OFFICE WITHOUT LOCATING ANY INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE
WITH APP INTEE, ANY MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY, OR PRESENT BUSINESS
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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985

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ON MAY 31, 1985, INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANT (IA) [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] AND CLERK [REDACTED] RESPECTIVELY, REVIEWED INDICES AND ELSUR FILES REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.

THERE WAS NOTHING IN THE FILES IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.

CLEVELAND ISIS DATA BASES CHECKED AND ARCHIVED ISIS RECORDS WERE CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS PER ISIS ANALYST [REDACTED] (9)

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RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES DATED MAY 25, 1985.

FOR INFORMATION BUREAU, KANSAS CITY GENERAL OFFICE AND ELSUR
INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT
BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT. KANSAS CITY GENERAL INDICES SEARCHED

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN; EXPANDED NAME CHECK; 1985, WOF (B)

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES DATED MAY 25, 1985.

CHECKS OF THE FOLLOWING INDICES AND FILES OF THE ALEXANDRIA DIVISION BY INDICATED PERSONNEL DISCLOSED NO INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES OR PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT:

GENERAL INDICES, MAY 28, 1985, [REDACTED]

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ELSUR INDICES, MAY 28, 1985, [REDACTED]

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ELSUR CHECKS WERE NEGATIVE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE, RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT. GENERAL INDICES CHECK REVEALED THE FOLLOWING FILE NUMBERS ON APPOINTEE - 100-52591, 100-51190-135A P. 11, AND 100-51190 P. 4. GENERAL INDICES CHECK CONDUCTED BY SUPPORT EMPLOYEE [REDACTED] AND ELSUR CHECKS CONDUCTED BY SE [REDACTED] SERIALS WILL BE SENT AS ENCLOSURES WITH RUC REPORT.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY. BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985, WITHOUT FAIL (B).

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FBI FIELD OFFICES DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 31, 1985, NEW ORLEANS INDICES AND ELSUR FILES WERE SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS FOR INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS AND CLOSE RELATIVES. INDICES SEARCHED BY MAIL CLERK [REDACTED] AND CONFIDENTIAL CLERK [REDACTED] [REDACTED] ELSUR FILES SEARCHED BY ELSUR CLERK [REDACTED] REVIEWED BY IA [REDACTED]

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

NO REFERENCE WAS FOUND REGARDING APPOINTEE AND
LISTED CLOSE RELATIVES. THE FOLLOWING MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION
INDICES WERE CHECKED ON JUNE 3, 1985, BY THE INDICATED
MINNEAPOLIS EMPLOYEES:

GENERAL INDICES: [REDACTED]

CONFIDENTIAL INDICES: [REDACTED]

ELSUR INDICES: [REDACTED]

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RICHARD JOHN NEHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED, JUNE 5, 1985

RE: BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

A REVIEW OF NEWARK INDICES AND ELSUR FILES WAS NEGATIVE RE
APPOINTEE, HIS CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT,
AS OF JUNE 3, 1985.

SA [REDACTED] HANDLED THIS MATTER.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS
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BUDED: 6/5/85 WITHOUT FAIL

REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FBI FIELD OFFICES,
DATED 5/25/85.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH REQUEST CONTAINED IN REFERENCED
TELETYPE THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

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NO IDENTIFIABLE RECORD OBTAINED.

**** WFO Indices revealed numerous files identifiable with
the appointee, files contained no derogatory information.

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RE BUREAU TEL, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 25, 1985, SCA [REDACTED] CHECKED GENERAL

INDICES; ON MAY 29, 1985, FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED]

CHECKED SPECIAL INDICES; AND ON MAY 29, 1985, ASSISTANT ELSUR

COORDINATOR [REDACTED] CHECKED ELSUR INDICES REGARDING

CAPTIONED APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS

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REPORTING OFFICE INDIANAPOLIS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/3/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/30/85 - 6/3/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY b6 -:palb7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

REFERENCE: Bureau teletype to Albany, 5/25/85.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

All persons contacted were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

Indianapolis Division indices, elsur files and confidential indices were searched and no identifiable information located regarding appointee or his relatives.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED						<input type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC.	PRETRIAL DIVERSION	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
								PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
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Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] recommends favorably. Arrest
checks negative regarding appointee's sister.

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DETAILS:

Investigation at Valparaiso, Indiana, conducted by IA
[REDACTED] with remainder by SA [REDACTED]

CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATE

On June 3, 1985, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he has
known appointee for approximately 30 years. Appointee is an
outstanding individual who possesses very good characteristics.
Appointee is honest, trustworthy, reliable and is very discreet.
Appointee has always associated with a fine group of people and
has belonged to organizations that are service oriented. Appointee
enjoys an excellent reputation and gets along well with everyone.
Appointee has always been a loyal American, and constantly strives
to make the United States a better place to live. Appointee
has the qualifications and the ability to succeed in any type of
endeavor he pursues. Appointee will be an excellent person for
the position he is seeking. Appointee does not use drugs or
abuse alcohol.

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ARREST

On June 3, 1985, the following individuals were contacted and advised their records were negative regarding appointee's sister:

[redacted] (Protect Identity by Request),
[redacted] Valparaiso Police Department,
16 Indiana Avenue, Valparaiso, Indiana

[redacted] (Protect Identity by Request),
[redacted] Porter County Sheriff's Department,
157 Franklin, Valparaiso, Indiana

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On May 30, 1985, Indiana Data and Communications System printout, Central Records, Indiana State Police, reflected no identifiable information regarding appointee's sister.

No National Crime Information Center (NCIC) want for appointee's sister.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPIN, BUDED JUNE 5, 1985, WITHOUT FAIL (B).

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

WHERE APPROPRIATE, PRIVACY ACT (E) (3) DATA WAS FURNISHED TO PERSONS INTERVIEWED. EXPRESS PROMISES OF CONFIDENTIALITY, BOTH LIMITED AND UNLIMITED, HAVE BEEN NOTED WHERE GRANTED.

CHECK ON JUNE 4, 1985, OF THE ST. LOUIS DIVISION GENERAL INDICES BY MAIL AND FILE CLERK [REDACTED] AND ELSUR INDEX BY FILE [REDACTED] ASSISTANT [REDACTED] WERE NEGATIVE FOR RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, HIS CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT MENTIONED IN REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, DATED MAY 25, 1985.

THE LITTLE ROCK INDICES WERE NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE
AND CLOSE RELATIVES, AS SEARCHED BY SCA [REDACTED]
(MAY 26, 1985) AND AEC [REDACTED] (MAY 30, 1985).

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985, WOF.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 29, 1985, THE INDICES AND ELSUR FILES OF THE ATLANTA DIVISION WERE SEARCHED AND FOUND TO CONTAIN NO INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR CLOSE MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION.

ELSUR SEARCHED BY CLERICAL EMPLOYEE (CE) [REDACTED]

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WITHOUT FAIL. (B)

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

THE FOLLOWING INDICES AND COMPUTER LIST OF THE MOBILE OFFICE
WERE SEARCHED ON APPOINTEE AND ALL OF APPOINTEE'S RELATIVES WITH
NEGATIVE RESULTS, AS INDICATED BELOW:

OFFICE INDICES BY SECURITY AND COMPLAINT ASSISTANT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ON MAY 26, 1985.

ELSUR INDICES BY FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED] ON MAY

30, 1985.

INFORMANT INDICES BY FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED] ON

MAY 30, 1985.

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FILE ASSISTANT ON MAY 30, 1985.

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ON MAY 25, 1985, NEW HAVEN GENERAL INDICES, AS SEARCHED
BY SECURITY PATROL CLERK [REDACTED] AND ON MAY 28, 1985,

NEW HAVEN SPECIAL INDICES, AS SEARCHED BY FILE ASSISTANT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PROVED NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE
RELATIVES, AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN; BUDED, JUNE 5, 1985

RE: BUREAU AIRTEL TO ALBANY, MAY 24, 1985.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF DETROIT, THE BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED
TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION OF CAPTIONED INDIVIDUAL FOR
PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT TO THE U.S. INSTITUTE OF PEACE, WHICH
REQUIRES ASCENTED CONFIRMATION.

APPOINTEE DESCRIBED AS BORN ON MAY 14, 1936, IN PEMBROK,
ONTARIO, CANADA, AND HAS SSAN 450-56-0731.

APPOINTEE HAS LISTED [REDACTED] AS CLOSE
PERSONAL ASSOCIATE, KNOWN 30 YEARS. INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] WIFE
REFLECTS THAT HE IS VISITING TERMINALLY ILL MOTHER AT LIVONIA, MI,
TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] HE IS EXPECTED TO BE AT AFORE-

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MENTIONED ADDRESS UNTIL AT LEAST JUNE 7, 1985.

DETROIT AT LIVONIA, MI: REPORT INTERVIEW OF
CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATE OF APPOINTEE.

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RICHARD. JOHN NEUHAUS, SPIN, BUDED JUNE 5, 1985.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO ALBANY, MAY 24, 1985.

LEAD SET OUT FOR SPRINGFIELD AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IS COVERED BY ATLANTA DIVISION.

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THE NAMES OF THE APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES WERE SEARCHED
BY THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS:

GENERAL INDICES, IA [REDACTED] JUNE 4, 1985; ASSET
INDICES, [REDACTED] MAY 29, 1985; ISIS INDICES, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] MAY 30, 1985, ELSUR INDICES, [REDACTED] MAY 30,
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REPORTING OFFICE ST. LOUIS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/4/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/28 - 30/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY jr
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY (B)	

REFERENCE: Bureau teletype to St. Louis, May 25, 1985
 St. Louis teletype to Bureau, June 4, 1985.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Where appropriate, Privacy Act (E) (3) data was furnished to persons interviewed. Express promises of confidentiality, both limited and unlimited, have been noted where granted.

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Date: JUNE 4, 1985
Field Office File #: SL 161B-3824
Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Office: ST. LOUIS

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Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Education verified at CONCORDIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY for the period September 15, 1955 through June 1, 1960. The applicant received a Bachelor of Arts Degree on June 4, 1957 and a Masters of Divinity on June 1, 1960.

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DETAILS: AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI:

EDUCATION

AT CONCORDIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
801 DE MUN AVENUE
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

On May 28, 1985, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] CONCORDIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, St. Louis, Missouri, provided the academic record for the applicant. The record indicated that the applicant's date and place of birth was May 14, 1936, Pembroke, Ontario. The record indicated that the applicant attended the seminary from September 15, 1955 through June 1, 1960. The applicant was awarded a Bachelor of Arts Degree on June 4, 1957, and a Masters of Divinity on June 1, 1960. The record indicated that the applicant received a final grade point average of 3.23 on a 4.0 scale. No class standing was given. No honors or disciplinary actions were noted.

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REPORTING OFFICE JACKSONVILLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/4/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/3/85
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Investigation conducted at Pensacola, Florida, by SA

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Jacksonville indices negative on appointee and relative.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Arrest check negative on relative.

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ARREST:

On June 3, 1985, [REDACTED] Records, Pensacola,
Police Department, Pensacola, Florida, advised her office
has no record of arrest for [REDACTED] date of birth
[REDACTED]

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On June 3, 1985, [REDACTED] Central
Records, Escambia County Sheriff's Department, Pensacola,
Florida, advised her office has no record of arrest for
[REDACTED]

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REPORTING OFFICE PITTSBURGH	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/4/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/30/85-6/4/85
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Individuals contacted in this matter were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974, and none requested confidentiality.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Office of Personnel Management (OPM) checks negative.

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DETAILS:

On June 4, 1985, [REDACTED]
United States Office of Personnel Management (USOPM), NACI Center,
Boyers, Pennsylvania, advised that his indices contain no record
for captioned individual.

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to December 21, 1984.

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TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY lr
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN	

REFERENCE: Bureau teletype 5/25/85. WFO teletype 5/30/85.

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"WFO indices reveal no derogatory information identifiable with the appointee, his/her relatives, his/her social acquaintances, and his/her references."

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Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: The White House had no information concerning the appointee. Unofficial spokesperson for National Council of Churches comments unfavorably on appointee, citing appointee's "unfair and inaccurate" attacks on the National Council of Churches, and declining to make or withhold a recommendation based upon lack of personal knowledge of appointee. No record located at the SECRET SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY, concerning the appointee.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

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WHITE HOUSE OFFICE (WHO)

A search of the files of the Records Office, WHO,
by Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED] on 5/30/85, revealed
no record concerning RICHARD J. NEUHAUS.

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MISCELLANEOUS

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
Washington, D.C.

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] on May 28, 1985:

[redacted] Washington Office; NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, was contacted as a spokesperson for the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES. [redacted] advised that she was not personally acquainted with the appointee, but was familiar with his name. [redacted] advised that in connection with the appointee's affiliation with the INSTITUTE ON RELIGION AND DEMOCRACY, the appointee has been "a very sharp critic of the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES in ways that have been hurtful of the organization." [redacted] stated that the appointee has frequently been a spokesperson for the INSTITUTE ON RELIGION AND DEMOCRACY and has been a "moving force" behind that organization. [redacted] stated that she considered some comments attributed to the appointee were "unfair and inaccurate" in their portrayal of the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES.

[redacted] cited a segment of a "60 MINUTES" television show concerning the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES as an illustration of the appointee's "unfairness." She advised that the appointee was extensively interviewed for the segment, and he charged the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES with providing assistance to left-wing governments. [redacted] stated that the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES never has and never would do this, and that information readily available made to the public by the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES would quickly disprove the appointee's charges.

Based on her lack of personal knowledge of the appointee, [redacted] declined to comment on the appointee's character, associates, reputation or loyalty. She stated that she was not in a position to know such things as whether the appointee ever abused alcohol or used illegal drugs, or whether there was anything at a derogatory nature in the appointee's background. [redacted] declined to make or withhold a recommendation for employment in a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

[redacted] stated that she did not wish to comment as an official spokesperson for the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES; nor

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did she wish her comments to be taken as the official position of the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES. She advised that the headquarters of the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, in New York, New York, be contacted for official comments concerning the appointee's competence, character and integrity. [redacted] advised inquiries should be directed to the General Secretary of the NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, ARIE BROUWER.

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IA [] caused a search to be made of the files of the U.S. SECRET SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, and was advised on 6/4/85, that no record was found concerning the appointee.

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TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY mmh b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

REFERENCE: Boston teletype to Bureau, 5/30/85; Bureau airtel to Boston et al, 5/24/85.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Individual interviewed was advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974 and did not desire confidentiality.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Reference recommends.

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DETAILS:

BS 161B-6867

REFERENCE

On June 3, 1984, [REDACTED] BOSTON UNIVERSITY, Boston, Massachusetts advised he has known RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS for approximately eighteen years. He and the appointee met each other when they did a book review on a magazine. Since that time they have worked together and have become good friends.

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[REDACTED] stated the appointee has an impeccable character and a very good reputation. He also advised that the appointee is an honest, trustworthy person about whom he knows nothing derogatory. He added that the appointee does not use illegal drugs or abuse alcohol. He has no reason to question the appointee's loyalty to the United States and believes he is an ideal person for the position for which he is being considered. He very warmly recommends him for a position of trust and confidence with the government.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED JUNE 5, 1985 (B).

RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO ALBANY DATED MAY 24, 1985.

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ALL PERSONS CONTACTED HEREIN WERE ADVISED OF THE PROVISIONS
OF THE PRIVACY ACT.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA [REDACTED]

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF BUFFALO, THE BUREAU HAS BEEN
REQUESTED TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION OF CAPTIONED INDIVIDUAL
FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT TO THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE
OF PEACE, WHICH REQUIRES SENATE CONFIRMATION. /61-14674-64

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THE APPOINTEE IS DESCRIBED AS BORN MAY 14, 1936, IN PEMBROKE, ONTARIO, CANADA, AND HAS SSAN 450-56-0731.

IN 1960 AND 1961, THE APPOINTEE WAS THE PASTOR AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF ST. PAUL, MASSENA, NEW YORK. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REPORTS THE PARISH EXPERIENCED "MAJOR PROBLEMS" DURING THE APPOINTEE'S SHORT TIME AS PASTOR. [REDACTED] INDICATED APPOINTEE WAS REMOVED AS PASTOR BECAUSE OF THESE PROBLEMS, WHICH INCLUDED A CONTROVERSY SURROUNDING CHANGES IN PARISH POLICY, IN PARTICULAR THE DISCONTINUING OF THE USE OF THE "COMMON CUP" BY COMMUNICANTS.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT RECORDS PERTAINING TO THIS MATTER ARE CONTAINED AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH DISTRICT OFFICE IN BUFFALO, NEW YORK. THE [REDACTED] RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MASSENA, NEW YORK AREA IS [REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

BUFFALO DIVISION AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK.

WILL CONTACT [REDACTED]

BUFFALO DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH, TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] IN REGARDS TO THE APPOINTEE'S SUITABILITY FOR A POSITION WITH THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE.

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WILL REVIEW ANY PERTINENT RECORDS IN REGARDS TO APPOINTEE'S
TENURE AS PASTOR AT LUTHERAN CHURCH OF ST. PAUL IN MASSENA,
NEW YORK, 1960-61, IN PARTICULAR NOTING ANY REFERENCE TO
APPOINTEE'S REMOVAL FROM ST. PAUL'S. SUTEL RESULTS.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (PRIORITY)

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985.

General Applicant & Sp. Agent 5155
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RE NEWARK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, DATED JUNE 4, 1985.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA [REDACTED]

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CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATE: ON JUNE 5, 1985,

[REDACTED] WAS CONTACTED AND ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE SINCE THEY WERE STUDENTS TOGETHER AT CONCOR DIA SEMINAR, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. THEY WERE STUDENTS AT THE SEMINAR FROM 1955 TO 1960, AND AFTER GRADUATION, THEY HAVE CONTINUED THEIR RELATIONSHIP BOTH PROFESSIONALLY AND SOCIALLY. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE SEES THE APPOINTEE ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS INCLUDE CONFERENCES AND SOCIAL GATHERINGS.

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[REDACTED] STATED THAT APPOINTEE IS A MOST CAPABLE AND HARD WORKING INDIVIDUAL WHO IS VERY INTELLIGENT. HE IS THE MOST COMPETENT AND HIGH ACHIEVER THAT [REDACTED] HAS KNOWN. THE APPOINTEE POSSESSES THE ABILITY TO SEE WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE AND IS AN EXCELLENT ADMINISTRATOR ASSURING THAT HIS GOALS ARE MET. [REDACTED] STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS A VERY LOYAL AMERICAN, AS EXEMPLIFIED IN THE APPOINTEE'S BOOK WRITTEN IN 1975 JUST PRIOR TO THE BICENTENNIAL. THE TITLE OF THE BOOK IS "TIME TOWARD HOME." THE BOOK HIGHLIGHTED THE APPOINTEE'S LOYAL AND DEEP REVERENCE FOR AMERICA. [REDACTED] STATED HE HAS NO INFORMATION THAT WOULD PREVENT THE APPOINTEE FROM DOING AN OUTSTANDING JOB WITH THE GOVERNMENT. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS THE APPOINTEE AND STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE HAS THE CAPABILITY OF DOING ANYTHING HE SETS HIS MIND TO.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE San Antonio	OFFICE OF ORIGIN Bureau	DATE 6/5/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/4/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA [REDACTED]	TYPED BY dlv
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

BUDED: 6/5/85

REFERENCE: Director teletype to Albany, 5/25/85.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

All persons contacted were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974 and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

San Antonio General and Woodmur (Major Case 21) indices, as checked by File Clerk [REDACTED] on May 29, 1985, contain no information identifiable with appointee and all close relatives.

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[redacted] on May 29, 1985, contain no information identifiable with appointee and all close relatives.

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Investigative Support Information System (ISIS), as checked by File Clerk [redacted] on May 30, 1985, contain no information identifiable with appointee and all close relatives.

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Office: San Antonio

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Field Office File #: SA 161B-R-21

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Title:

RICAHRD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Appointee was admitted to Concordia Lutheran College on 9/7/53 and attended continuously until he received a diploma of completion in Spring 1955. The appointee maintained above average grades and was never placed on academic probation or received disciplinary grades. United States Attorney's Office failed to indicate any federal prosecutive action concerning appointee. Arrest checks at Austin, Texas, negative re appointee.

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DETAILS:

EDUCATION

The following investigation was conducted by SA [] at Austin, Texas:

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On June 4, 1985, [] Concordia Lutheran College, 3400 Interstate 35 North, Austin, Texas 78705, advised college records indicate the appointee was born in Pembroke Ontario, Canada on May 15, 1936, and graduated from Concordia High School, Seward, Nebraska, in May 1952. The records disclosed the appointee was admitted to Concordia Lutheran College on September 7, 1953 and completed the following sessions: Fall semester 1953, Spring semester 1954, Fall semester 1954, and Spring semester 1955. The appointee's records did not list a cumulative grade point average. Based on a review of the appointee's records, [] approximated the appointee's cumulative grade point average to be 3.4 based on a 4.0 scale.

[] advised that at the time when the appointee attended Concordia Lutheran College, the college did not award degrees, rather students were given diplomas of completion which are now Associates of Arts degrees. The appointee received a diploma of completion at the end of the Spring semester of 1955.

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[] stated the appointee's records indicate that the appointee was never placed on academic probation nor received disciplinary action.

[] stated he was not aware of any professors presently at Concordia Lutheran College that would have taught when the appointee attended Concordia Lutheran College.

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UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

The following investigation was conducted by SA
 at San Antonio, Texas:

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The United States Attorney's Office, Western District of Texas, San Antonio, Texas, checked their records regarding RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS and advised they have no federal prosecutive action concerning appointee.

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The following investigation was conducted by
IA [redacted] at Austin, Texas on June 4, 1985.

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The following persons were contacted regarding
RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS (appointee) with negative results:

[redacted] Texas Department of Public
Safety, Crime Records Division

[redacted] Austin Police Department,
Identification Division

[redacted] Travis County Sheriff's Office,
Identification Division

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TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY IA 	TYPED BY SKF b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN 7	

REFERENCE: Bureau teletype to Albany dated 5/25/85.

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All persons contacted were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act, and none requested confidentiality.

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Date: June 5, 1985

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Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: On 5/31/85, contact with local police departments
regarding [REDACTED]
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DETAILS:IDENTIFICATION

On May 31, 1985, [REDACTED] City of Decatur,
Georgia, POLICE DEPARTMENT, advised she could locate no record
on file in her department identifiable with [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED]

On 5/31/85, [REDACTED] DE KALB COUNTY,
GEORGIA, POLICE DEPARTMENT, advised a search of records in her
department failed to reveal any record identifiable with
[REDACTED] Regarding [REDACTED]
advised her records show one [REDACTED]
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On May 31, 1985, a search of Atlanta indices was conducted regarding appointee, RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, and with negative results.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985, WITHOUT
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RE DIRECTOR TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 29, 1985, [REDACTED] CONFIDENTIAL CLERK, REVIEWED
THE EL PASO DIVISION ELSUR AND SECURE INDICES WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS
RE CAPTIONED APPOINTEE AND HIS CLOSE RELATIVES, AS SET OUT IN
REFERENCED TELETYPE.

ON JUNE 5, 1985, IA [REDACTED] REVIEWED THE EL PASO
DIVISION GENERAL INDICES WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS RE APPOINTEE, RELATIVES,
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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED JUNE 5, 1985,
WITHOUT FAIL (B)

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES MAY 25, 1985.

PORTLAND AND ELSUR INDICES WERE NEGATIVE REGARDING
APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, AND CURRENT EMPLOYMENT AS SEARCHED
BY FILE CLERK [REDACTED] ON MAY 30, 1985.

SINCE THERE IS NO OTHER PORTLAND INVESTIGATION, NO REPORT
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(C) ON JUNE 3, 1985, [REDACTED]

ADVISED THAT LOCAL CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS REGARDING APPOINTEE,
HIS MOTHER AND HIS BROTHER WERE NEGATIVE.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985, WITHOUT FAIL (B)

REFERENCE TELCAL OF SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] NYO, TO SPECIAL
AGENT [REDACTED] FBIHQ, ON JUNE 5, 1985.

ON JUNE 4, 1985, A CHECK OF THE NYO CIFU INDICES PROVED
NEGATIVE.

ON JUNE 5, 1985, A CHECK OF THE NYO GENERAL INDICES REVEALED
NUMEROUS REFERENCES TO APPOINTEE'S INVOLVEMENT IN ANTI-WAR MOVEMENT.
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6. BUREAU FILE 157-6-34
7. BUREAU FILE 105-138315
8. BUREAU FILE 62-111181

APPOINTEE WAS CONTACTED ON JUNE 5, 1985 AND ADVISED THAT HE
WILL PROVIDE NYO WITH A LIST OF APPROXIMATELY 25 TO 30 ADDITIONAL

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REFERENCES SOMETIME ON JUNE 6, 1985.

DUE TO THE FACT THAT NYO IS NOT CURRENTLY IN POSSESSION OF APPOINTEE'S REFERENCES AND ASSOCIATES, AND A LARGE NUMBER OF INTERVIEWS IN THE NEW YORK CITY AREA ARE ANTICIPATED, IT IS RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED THAT NYO BE GRANTED AN EXTENSION UNTIL JUNE 12, 1985.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: JUNE 5,
1985, WITHOUT FAIL (B).

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, DATED
MAY 25, 1985.

DETROIT INDICES CHECKS PERFORMED ON MAY 31, 1985,
BY CLERK [REDACTED] REGARDING APPOINTEE AND CLOSE
RELATIVES REVEALED NO RECORD.

ON JUNE 4, 1985, DETROIT ELSUR CHECKS PERFORMED BY CLERICAL EMPLOYEE [REDACTED] REVEALED NO RECORD REGARDING APPOINTEE AND CLOSE RELATIVES.

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TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY mse b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

REFERENCE

Albany teletype to the Bureau and SAC Buffalo
June 4, 1985.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

All persons contacted were advised of the
provisions of the Privacy Act.

Albany indices negative regarding appointee.

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Field Office File #: 161B-2769

Bureau File #:

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] at ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH in Massena, New York, indicated that appointee was removed from position as pastor there in 1961, because of major problem in the parish. Arrest check negative at Massena Police Department, Massena, New York. The U. S. Attorney for the Northern District of New York reports no prosecutive action against the appointee.

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DETAILSEmployment:

[REDACTED] at the LUTHERAN CHURCH OF ST. PAULS, Andrews Road, Massena, New York, telephone number [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] While he could verify the appointee's former position as Pastor at ST. PAUL's in 1960 - 61, [REDACTED] advised he had no personal contact with appointee. Because his parish is rather small, and located in a remote area, the Pastor here has always been the lone clergyman assigned to the church. [REDACTED] therefore, could recommend no other co-workers for interview.

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[redacted] did note that the appointee's term as Pastor was marked by controversy and that "major problems" developed in the parish as a result of the appointee's policies. [redacted] advised that the appointee came to ST. PAUL's directly from seminary school. [redacted] has learned from older parishioners that appointee changed a long-standing policy on the use of a "common cup" by communicants". This change so disrupted the parish that the appointee was removed by his superiors after only a short time as Pastor. [redacted] noted that the district office for the LUTHERAN CHURCH is located in Buffalo. The [redacted] for the Massena, New York area is [redacted] whose telephone number is [redacted]. [redacted] Because he had no personal contact with the appointee, [redacted] could offer no further information, and could not comment on a recommendation.

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Arrest:

Officer [redacted] Police Officer, Massena Police Department, Massena, New York, reports he has no identifiable criminal record in the name of the appointee.

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Miscellaneous:

[redacted] U. S. Attorney, Northern District of New York, reports the appointee has never been the object of any prosecution on the part of the U. S. Attorney's Office for the Northern District of New York.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JUNE 5, 1985.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (ROUTINE)

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UNCLAS

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPIN, BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985.

RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON JUNE 3, 1985, A SEARCH OF BALTIMORE INDICES, GENERAL,
CONFIDENTIAL AND ELSUR CONDUCTED BY [REDACTED] DISCLOSED NO
IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPOINTEE, HIS LISTED
RELATIVES OR HIS BUSINESS BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED.

ON JUNE 3, 1985, BALTIMORE ISIS DATA BASE WAS SEARCHED WITH
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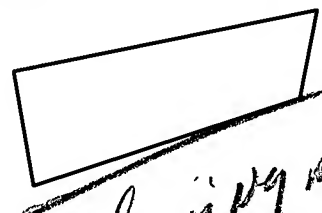
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REFERENCE BUREAU TELS TO ALL FBI FIELD OFFICES, DATED MAY 25, 1985.

ON JUNE 5, 1985, APPOINTEE ADVISED THAT CONCERNING HIS EMPLOYMENT AT THE ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, 152 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, HIS ONLY CO-WORKERS LOCATED AT THE NYO ARE HIS SECRETARY AND AN AIDE, WHO IS CURRENTLY ON VACATION. APPOINTEE ADDED THAT HIS [REDACTED] AT THE ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, [REDACTED] AS WELL AS [REDACTED] CAN BE CONTACTED AT THE ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, 934 NORTH MAIN STREET, ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS, TELEPHONE NUMBER (815) 964-5053.

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ON JUNE 7, 1985, APPOINTEE PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING LIST OF REFERENCES:

1. [REDACTED]

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REPORTING OFFICE CHICAGO	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/10/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/30/85 - 6/3/85
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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Where appropriate, Privacy Act (e) (3) data was furnished to persons interviewed. Express promises of confidentiality, both limited and unlimited, have been noted where granted.

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CHICAGO DIVISION

AT ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS

Will interview [REDACTED] ROCKFORD
INSTITUTE regarding the appointee.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of: SA [REDACTED]
Date: JUNE 10, 1985

Office: CHICAGO

Field Office File #: 161B-6154

Bureau File #:

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Professional associates recommend appointee for position of trust and confidence with the United States Government. Credit negative. Arrested CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE DEPARTMENT August 29, 1968, for disorderly and fined \$400.00 plus cost on March 14, 1969.

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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATES:

On May 30, 1985, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] THE ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, 934 North Main Street,
Rockford, Illinois, advised Special Agent [REDACTED]
as follows:

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Since 1975, he has known appointee on a personal and professional basis. He first came to know appointee personally during their working relationship on the Luthern Council in Washington, D.C., when at the same time the appointee was with the Luthern Council of New York City. He stated that as of January, 1984, appointee has joined the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE as Director of the Center of Religion and Society, 152 Madison Avenue, New York, New York. The purpose of the center, he explained, was looking at religion in free society.

He described the appointee as having excellent character and admired him for his honesty. He noted that the appointee is a man of strong opinions but is also willing to debate. He commented the appointee is always willing to listen and learn from another person. He stated the appointee can be very gentle and pastoral and always approached life in a positive manner.

He described the appointee as having an excellent reputation and enjoys a wide range of outstanding associates who have great admiration for him. He stated that as a result of his philosophies there are people in the intellectual circle who could be called his enemies in that they would strongly oppose his viewpoints. He noted although it would be these same individuals that would greatly respect the appointee. He advised that during the 1960's, the appointee was involved in the civil rights movement and was a supporter of DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING and the rights of black people. He advised the appointee was also involved in the anti Vietman War movement. He stated he never considered the appointee an actual part of the movement but a defender of a liberal democracy. In describing the appointee as a defender of liberal democracy, [REDACTED] does not mean the appointee is liberal but rather a supporter of the traditional American liberal principles of freedom of speech, religions and the like. He said the appointee is one of the foremost independant thinkers in America and could not be placed in any one political party. He noted the appointee has always been a defender of the dignity of human beings.

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He described the appointee as being one of the most devout and loyal American patriots we have today. He further described the appointee as a leading intellectual and a supporter of a free society. He noted that there may have been those who felt the appointee was disloyal for his stand against the Vietnam War although it was the appointee's view that the war was a betrayal of American ideals, and that in damaging those ideals America was tearing herself apart. He noted that at the same time the appointee was critical of America's involvement in the war, he was extremely critical of North Vietnam and the philosophies and teachings of communism. He stated that the appointee for this and other reasons would be criticized equally by both liberals and conservatives. He cited another example by noting that the appointee strongly spoke out in the 1950's and 1960's for the dignity of black Americans and their rights and was intolerant of a legal system that would deny them these rights. Conversely, the appointee questions the validity and morality of affirmative action programs because he believes they denigrate the original purpose of civil rights.

He commented that the appointee's intellectual ability was balanced with common sense and that the appointee could converse with individuals at all levels. He knows of no prejudices or biases held by the appointee toward any class of citizen or any racial or religious group. He stated the appointee is trusted by black leaders as well as religious leaders of the major faiths as one who is truly sensitive to the appeals of all ethnic groups and strives for basic justice.

He commented that the appointee's morals are of the highest caliber and he has an excellent reputation. He advised the appointee would never use illicit drugs and only occasionally drinks a glass of wine.

He highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government adding that he is eminently qualified for a high level position.

On May 30, 1985, [redacted]
[redacted] CHRONICLES OF CULTURE, a publication of the ROCKFORD
INSTITUTE, 934 North Main Street, Rockford, Illinois, advised
Special Agent [redacted] as follows:

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He has been employed with the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE since August, 1984, and first met the appointee in September or October, 1984. Since then they have worked together only on about six occasions.

He advised the appointee is an ethically committed person with high principles. He commented that the appointee is not concerned with his own self-advancement but is ambitious in that he has a mission to perform. He advised the appointee is easy to deal with although is very persuasive and forceful, feeling there is a job to be done and he is qualified to do it. He advised the appointee is constantly looking for the opportunity to serve.

He stated the appointee has extremely high morals and has never known him to tell an untruth. He noted the appointee's character, integrity, reputation and associates are above reproach. He stated that no hint of scandal has been attached to the appointee's name and he possesses strong leadership qualities. He said the appointee is "a man's man" in that he shows no signs of weakness.

He commented that the appointee was active in the civil rights movement during the 1960's and was a supporter of DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING. He noted that the appointee was then and continues to be a supporter of the legal rights of American citizens. He stated the appointee would never support anything which would be dangerous or disruptive. He said he would consider the appointee to be neither a liberal nor a conservative but a centrist.

He advised the appointee has an acute and unusual intellect and his loyalty to his government is above reproach. He stated the appointee has no racial or religious prejudices and has been very prominent in bringing together members of various faiths. He stated the appointee would have no affiliations with any organization which would not support the basic principals of decency and fairness on which America was founded. He stated the appointee does not use drugs or abuse alcohol.

He feels the appointee is highly qualified for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government and would therefore recommend him without reservation.

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CREDIT AND ARREST:

On May 31, 1985, [REDACTED] CREDIT BUREAU OF ROCKFORD, Rockford, Illinois, advised Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED] they have no record for appointee.

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On May 31, 1985, [REDACTED] WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S POLICE and ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS POLICE DEPARTMENT advised Agent [REDACTED] that arrest records reflect no record for appointee.

On May 30, 1985, records of the CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE DEPARTMENT, which were made available to Special Clerk [REDACTED] reflected that RICHARD J. NEUHAUS, date of birth May 14, 1936, was arrested by the CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE on August 29, 1968, for disorderly conduct. Information obtained from the record under identification number 21322 reflected that a fine of \$400.00 plus cost was imposed on April 14, 1969.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: PAST.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FBI OFFICES, MAY 25, 1985.

ON MAY 2, 1985, BUTTE GENERAL OFFICE INDICES, OFFICE ELSUR
INDICES AND ISIS WERE REVIEWED BY CLERKS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND ISIS ANALYST [REDACTED] RESPECTIVELY. NO
RECORD WAS FOUND IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE OR IMMEDIATE FAMILY.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: JUNE 5, 1985 (B).

RE ALBANY TEL TO DIRECTOR, DATED JUNE 4, 1985.

ADMINISTRATIVE: ALL PERSONS CONTACTED HEREIN WERE ADVISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]:
FOR INFORMATION OF FBIHQ, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BUFFALO DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 2500 KENSINGTON AVENUE, BUFFALO, NEW YORK, TELEPHONE NUMBER (716) 839-2340, WAS UNAVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW UNTIL WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 12, 1985. AT THAT TIME, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE DOES NOT KNOW, NOR HAS HE EVER BEEN PERSONALLY INTRODUCED TO RICHARD

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JOHN NEUHAUS. [REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT ANY INFORMATION HE HAD WITH REGARDS TO RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS WAS SECOND-HAND INFORMATION OBTAINED THROUGH GENERAL INFORMATION SOURCES SUCH AS THE NEWSPAPER. [REDACTED] STATED THAT SINCE HE HAS HAD NO PERSONAL CONTACT WITH RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, HE WAS NOT IN A POSITION TO MAKE ANY JUDGMENT AS TO WHETHER OR NOT RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS WOULD BE A GOOD OR BAD CANDIDATE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE.

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE HAS READ SEVERAL ARTICLES BY RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS WHICH DEAL WITH THE LUTHERAN RELIGION AND TOPICS AS SOCIAL INJUSTICE, HUNGER, RACE, ETC. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE THOUGHT RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS WAS AN INTELLIGENT INDIVIDUAL WITH VERY GOOD INSIGHTS AND WAS STRONGLY OPINIONATED ON THOSE TOPICS. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS DEALS WITH ISSUES AND SEEMED TO BE OUTSPOKEN ON THOSE ISSUES, BUT NEVER KNEW HIM TO SPUR WHAT HE TERMED "SOCIAL UNREST".

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[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE RECALLED A NUMBER OF YEARS AGO THAT THERE WAS A CONFLICT IN THE LUTHERAN CHURCH REGARDING SOME OF THEIR POLICY, AND THAT RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS TOOK A PARTICULAR POSITION ON THE MATTER AND EXPRESSED HIS VIEWPOINT, AS WAS THE

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CUSTOM IN AMERICAN SOCIETY. [REDACTED] FOUND NOTHING WRONG WITH THIS AND COULD THINK OF NO PARTICULAR INCIDENT WHICH HE WOULD RELATE TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WITH REGARD TO ANY BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED ON RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS WHICH WOULD BE PERTINENT TO A PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT TO THE UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE.

[REDACTED] AGAIN REITERATED TO THE INTERVIEWING AGENT THAT HE COULD NOT PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION, GOOD OR BAD, WITH RESPECT TO RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, BECAUSE HE WAS IN RECEIPT OF NO FIRST-HAND INFORMATION REGARDING HIM WHICH WOULD ALLOW HIM TO PROVIDE AN OPINION.

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NEW YORK TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR DATED JUNE 7, 1985.

REFERENCE NUMBER FOUR, [REDACTED] IN REFERENCED
NEW YORK TELETYPE, LIVES IN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER

[REDACTED] SHE IS [REDACTED] OF LUTHERANS FOR LIFE,
AND ONLY COMES TO MINNESOTA THREE OR FOUR TIMES EACH YEAR.

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[REDACTED] AND INTERVIEW AS PER REFERENCED TELETYPES.

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All individuals interviewed were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974, and any individual desiring confidentiality is so noted.

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On June 12, 1985, a check of the New York Office (NYO) ELSUR indices revealed a reference to the appointee, New York file 100-161993-SUB-4, in which a highly sensitive source revealed that on December 9, 1969 the appointee was a representative of an organization known as the CLERGY AND LAYMEN CONCERNED ABOUT VIET NAM (CALCAV). Also, New York file 100-111180-SUB-10 reflected information from a highly sensitive source, indicating that on January 8, 1968, the appointee was also affiliated with the organization known as CALCAV.

On June 4, 1985, a check of the NYO CIFU indices proved negative.

On June 5, 1985, a check of the NYO general indices revealed the following references to the appointee, all which reflect appointee's affiliation with the organization known as CALCAV and all which have been previously provided to the Bureau:

1. Bureau file 100-451767
2. Bureau file 105-170160
3. Bureau file 14-2965
4. Bureau file 100-445003
5. Bureau file 100-460495
6. Bureau file 157-6-34
7. Bureau file 105-138315
8. Bureau file 62-111181

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AT-NEW-YORK,--NEW-YORK. Will report appointee's credit as soon as results are reported by the CREDIT BUREAU, INCORPORATED, New York, New York.

2. Will report results of ISIS check.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Field Office File #: 161B-9672

Bureau File #:

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Employments verified. Neighborhood favorable.
References and associates recommend. Arrest negative.
Indices positive. United States Attorney's Office negative.

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DETAILS:

Employments

ROCKFORD INSTITUTE
152 Madison Avenue
New-York,--New-York

On June 5, 1985, the appointee advised that his office in New York only contains his secretary and his aid, and that his aid is currently on vacation. Appointee further advised that his supervisor and other co-workers could be reached care of the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, Rockford, Illinois.

On June 7, 1985, [redacted] advised that the appointee has been employed by the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE since February, 1984. [redacted] further advised that the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE is affiliated with the "CENTER ON RELIGION AND SOCIETY", which is located at 152 Madison Avenue, New York, New York. [redacted] added that she has found the appointee to be an "interesting person who is great and nice to work with". [redacted] was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] was not aware of the appointee having any prejudices or biases against any particular groups. [redacted] further added that the appointee is "above reproach" and she would highly recommend him for a position of trust with the United States Government.

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COUNCIL ON RELIGION AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
170 East 64th Street
New-York,--New-York-----

On June 1, 1985, [redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately five and a half years. [redacted] added that the appointee was the part-time editor of their publication from approximately 1972 until 1983. [redacted] described the appointee as being "very thoughtful, studious, well spoken and of high integrity". Concerning the appointee's associates, [redacted] described them as "all above reproach". [redacted] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not feel the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] did not believe the appointee has any prejudices

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or biases. Concerning the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government, [] stated that he is of the opinion that the appointee is a very patriotic individual. [] added that the appointee is a "good, reliable person" and he would highly recommend him for a position of trust with the United States Government.

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On June 10, 1985, [] [] advised that she has known the appointee since 1967. [] stated that the appointee was their Senior Editor from 1972 until 1983 and she found him to be a "hard working individual". [] added that the appointee is "a man of the cloth and acts consistent with that". [] further described the appointee as being "a deep thinker who has good habits and who is very highly respected by his peers". [] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part. [] stated that she did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] described the appointee as a "loyal American" and highly recommended him for a position of trust with the government.

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On June 5, 1985, [] advised that she has known the appointee "for many years" and described the appointee as "a very nice man who is well thought of by the staff and very articulate and personable". [] added that the current editor would not be familiar with the appointee in that he has not worked with him and there have been numerous staff changes since 1983 when the appointee left. [] stated that her relationship with the appointee has been on both a social and business relationship. [] was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee and she did not believe he has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] was not aware of applicant having any biases or prejudices and highly recommended him for a position of trust with the United States Government.

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ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
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Brooklyn, New York-----

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Residence

338 East 19th Street
New-York,--New-York--

On June 5, 1985, it was determined that the above residence is a "Christian Community House", which is much like a dormitory having divinity students in the top floors and the residences of the appointee and another pastor as well as two tenants in the bottom floors.

Please refer to the interview of [redacted] under the reference section.

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On June 9, 1985, [redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately six years. [redacted] further advised that the appointee's religious organization, known as "THE COMMUNITY OF CHRIST", owns the building and the appointee acts as a landlord. [redacted] stated he was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] has never had a reason to question the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government. [redacted] is not aware of any biases or prejudices on the part of the appointee. [redacted] stated that he had "no reason not to recommend" the appointee.

On June 9, 1985, [redacted] advised that she has known the appointee since approximately 1978 or 1979 when the appointee's organization, "THE COMMUNITY OF CHRIST", bought the building. [redacted] stated that the appointee is her landlord and "seems like a reasonable person". [redacted] was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] has never had a reason to question the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government. [redacted] stated that she was not aware of any prejudices or biases on the appointee's part and feels the appointee has a "strong sense of fairness and of what's right". [redacted] further stated that the appointee "goes out of his way to be cordial". [redacted] recommended the appointee for a position of trust with the government.

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On June 9, 1985, the following individuals at [redacted]
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On June 9, 1985, the following individuals at [redacted]
[redacted] were contacted with negative results:



References

On June 7, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he has known appointee since approximately 1966 when the appointee was writing a book concerning the protests against the Viet Nam War. [redacted] stated that [redacted] "World View" and the appointee became the Assistant Editor, and subsequently the appointee became the Editor. [redacted] described the appointee as being "very intelligent, hard working, dedicated, highly articulate and well-known in the religious community". [redacted] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part and stated that he did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. Concerning the appointee's loyalty, [redacted] described the appointee as being "a patriotic man". [redacted] has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of bad character. [redacted] highly recommended the appointee.

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On June 7, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee since 1970 and currently resides in the same building as the appointee, at 338 East 19th Street, New York, New York. [redacted] added that he has both a professional and social relationship with the appointee and was very familiar with the appointee while the appointee was the Pastor of ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST LUTHERAN CHURCH in Brooklyn, New York. [redacted] described the appointee as being "honest, above

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board and possessing high professional standards and high integrity". Concerning the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government, [] described the appointee as "patriotic" and "tight on confidentiality". [] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part. [] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee, and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] stated that the appointee's associates are "other professional people" and stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of bad character. [] further described the appointee as "a good citizen and a very public person". [] very highly recommended the appointee.

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[] advised that he has known the appointee since the early 1960's. [] installed the appointee at ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST LUTHERAN CHURCH in Brooklyn, New York, where the appointee was the Pastor from 1961 until 1978. [] while the appointee was assigned there. [] described the appointee as being "extremely bright, diligent and having the ability to relate well to the community". [] added that his relationship with the appointee has been both social and professional. The appointee is currently listed as a Pastor in good standing on their clergy roster and occasionally will assist [] at the EMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH at 122 East 88th Street, New York, New York. [] added that the appointee currently writes and lectures on a full-time basis. [] stated that in the 1960's the appointee was very involved in an organization known as the CLERGY AND LAYMEN CONCERNED ABOUT VIET NAM (CLCAV). He added that "some activists are now disturbed with him because he has moved closer to the center from the left." [] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part and added that the appointee worked as a young white Pastor in a black neighborhood and functioned extremely well there. [] stated that he and the appointee are "good friends" and he highly respects the appointee. [] was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] stated that he has never questioned the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government. Concerning the appointee's associates, [] stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of questionable character. [] highly recommended the appointee.

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On June 7, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately five or six years and that they are "fairly close friends". [redacted] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part. [redacted] has never had to question the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government. [redacted] added that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of questionable character. [redacted] described the appointee as a "intellectual, genius, good writer, and well-respected lecturer and traveller". He further added that the appointee has been a Pastor in a "poverty parish in Brooklyn, New York". [redacted] stated he had "nothing but the highest regard" for the appointee and added that the appointee is a "dedicated, loyal American". [redacted] described the appointee as being "liberal in his early days" and currently "neo-conservative". [redacted] highly recommended the appointee.

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On June 7, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately 10 years and first met him at a conference in North Carolina. [redacted] stated the appointee is one of the most intelligent and well-spoken people that he knows and [redacted] added that the appointee is a very well-respected individual. [redacted] was not aware of the appointee having any prejudices or biases and was not aware of any derogatory information whatsoever concerning the appointee. [redacted] did not believe the applicant has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. Concerning the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government, [redacted] described the appointee as "patriotic". [redacted] was not familiar with the applicant's associates and could not comment in this regard. [redacted] added that he would describe the appointee as a "first class individual" and highly recommended him.

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On June 10, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee as an acquaintance for a total of 15 years, having known the appointee "very well" for the last five of those 15 years. [redacted] described the appointee as "a man of great integrity and moral convictions". [redacted] was not aware of any derogatory

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information concerning the appointee and did not believe that the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] was not aware of any prejudices or biases on the appointees's part. [] believes the appointee is very loyal to the United States Government. Concerning the appointee's associates, [] added that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of bad character. [] highly recommended the appointee.

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On June 7, 1985, [] [] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately 20 years. [] commented that the appointee is "as secure as you can get". He further described the appointee as a "journalistic intellectual" who is interested in the relationship of politics and religion. [] added that the appointee is best described as a "neo-conservative". [] believes the appointee has a "good background" and is well-respected by others in his field. [] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [] was aware of no prejudices or biases on the appointee's part. [] added that he considers the appointee to be "very loyal" to the United States Government. [] added that he "respects" the appointee and "considers him a friend". [] stated that he feels the appointee is a "very religious person" and he highly recommends him.

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On June 9, 1985, [] [] advised that he has known the appointee for 10 years. [] described the appointee as being "very sincere, committed to his faith, brave in proclaiming his commitment to his religious beliefs, and of very high moral character". Concerning the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government, [] described the appointee as being "very loyal". [] was not aware of the appointee having any prejudices or biases. [] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee, and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. Concerning the appointee's associates, [] has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of bad character. [] added that he would very highly recommend the appointee.

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On June 7, 1985, [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for 18 years. [redacted] described the appointee as a "very reliable citizen who is loyal and patriotic". [redacted] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee and did not believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] did not believe the appointee has any prejudices or biases. [redacted] described the appointee as "of good character, trustworthy and a friend and colleague". [redacted] stated that he was very familiar with the appointee's work as ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH in Brooklyn, New York. [redacted] added that appointee is currently a consultant and speaker for his agency. [redacted] highly recommended the appointee.

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[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee for approximately 20 to 23 years. [redacted] described the appointee as being "brilliant, possessing an astute mind, having the ability to cut through and understand issues, and possessing great intellectual capacity." [redacted] further stated that the appointee is a "warm, open human being". Concerning the appointee's assignment as Pastor to ST. JOHN THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH in Brooklyn, New York, [redacted] stated the appointee "did an outstanding job". He added that at the parish the appointee showed "a sense of caring for the people there" and that the appointee was instrumental in the parish creating its own credit union and school. [redacted] was not aware of any derogatory information concerning the appointee nor did he believe the appointee has ever had a drug or alcohol problem. [redacted] added that he does not believe the appointee has any prejudices or biases. [redacted] advised that he has never had reason to question the appointee's loyalty to the United States Government. [redacted] was not aware of the appointee ever associating with anyone of bad character. [redacted] added that the appointee is "not afraid of taking strong positions". [redacted] highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust with the government.

On June 10, 1985, [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that he met the appointee in the mid-1950's when both were seminary students in St. Louis, Missouri. [redacted] stated that the appointee is a good friend of his and he considered him

to be a very outstanding person. [] characterized the appointee as being a good, sound man who is intelligent and who is strongly opinionated. [] stated that the appointee is a staunchly loyal American who is committed to the welfare and interest of our country. [] stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with any persons of a questionable character and has never known him to abuse alcohol or use illegal drugs. [] stated that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee, does not believe he has any prejudices or biases, and would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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On June 10, 1985, []

[] stated that he has known of the appointee for approximately 15 to 20 years and has known the appointee well for the last four years. [] stated that the appointee is a well-known person who is well-regarded within the Lutheran Church and is the writer and editor of many publications related to the church and its activities. [] characterized the appointee as being a man of courage and strong convictions who is good at articulating and handling complex issues. [] stated that the appointee is a man of high moral character and he has never known him to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs. [] stated he knew of nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee, does not believe he has any prejudices or biases, and would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence in the United States Government.

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On June 10, 1985, []

[] stated that he has known the appointee for approximately 10 to 15 years and met him through professional colleagues. [] stated that the appointee is a brilliant individual who is a very well-respected scholar. [] stated that the appointee is a man of high moral character and has never known him to associate with anyone of questionable character. [] stated that he has never known the applicant to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs and further that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee, and does not believe he has any prejudices or biases. [] closed by stating that he would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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On June 10, 1985, [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that he has known the appointee since approximately 1960 and met him through his work with the church. [redacted] stated that the appointee has had a very active and varied career with the church and has written and edited many articles related to the church. [redacted] stated that the appointee has become quite a spokesman for the church and its organization. [redacted] stated that the appointee is an outstanding friend of his who has a wide range of contacts. [redacted] characterized the appointee as being a very forceful, articulate, intelligent, and very upfront person. [redacted] stated that the appointee is a good public spokesman who has spoken out on many issues which have made him a very controversial person. [redacted] stated that the appointee spoke out against the fighting in Viet Nam but his views were based on his love of the country instead of any subversive type activities. [redacted] stated that the appointee is now very involved with the pro-life movement and is very much opposed to abortion. [redacted] stated that the appointee is of good moral character, is totally honest and above board, and does not have any prejudices or biases. [redacted] stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with any people of a questionable character and has never known him to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs. [redacted] stated that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee and would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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[redacted] stated that he met the appointee in the mid to late 1950's when both were attending the same college in Austin, Texas. [redacted] stated that he and appointee later worked together in the church for a period of almost nine years. [redacted] stated that the appointee has a bright theological mind and a keen social conscious. [redacted] stated that the appointee is noted for his writing and speaking on religious and social issues and is very interested and committed to truth and reality.

[redacted] stated that during the Viet Nam War, [redacted] working at the ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH in Brooklyn, New York and both were opposed to the fighting in Viet Nam. [redacted] stated that he and appointee attempted to advise all young men their various options available as to their participation in the war in Viet Nam. [redacted] stated that he did not feel their actions were subversive toward the government but were rather out of a love for their country.

[] stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of questionable character and further that he has never known the appointee to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs. [] stated that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee and does not believe he has any prejudices or biases. [] stated that he would recommend the appointee as to his character, but could not recommend him for the position for which he is being considered without knowing more about the position and the qualifications necessary to fulfill the responsibilities included with the job.

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On June 11, 1985, []

[] stated that he has known the appointee since the 1960's and met him through church related activities. [] stated that the appointee is a very impressive person who has strong commitments towards society and has no prejudices or biases. [] characterized the appointee as being very articulate, honest, and a man of high moral integrity with superior intellect. [] stated that the appointee is a loyal American and has never known him to associate with anyone of a disreputable type character. [] stated that he has never known appointee to abuse alcohol nor use any illegal drugs, and further that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee. [] closed by stating that he would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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On June 11, 1985, []

[] stated that he has known the appointee for approximately 12 to 15 years and met him through church related activities. [] stated that he sees the appointee on a monthly basis and knows him to be a dedicated Christian. [] stated that the appointee is a supporter of urban related matters and is a man of deep value who has a universal point of view. [] stated that the appointee is an affiable person who is an articulate spokesman and who is very intelligent. [] stated that the appointee is a man of high moral character and integrity and has never known him to associate with anyone of a disreputable type character. [] stated that the appointee has been a very controversial person at times but he has never been critical of our government. [] stated that appointee is currently involved in the anti-abortion movement and is very sincere in his motives. [] does not believe the appointee has any prejudices or biases.

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[] stated that he has never known the appointee to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs, and further that he knows nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee. [] closed by stating that he would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence in the United States Government.

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On June 11, 1985, []

[] stated that he met the appointee in 1957 at Concordia Seminary when he was there doing research work for his doctoral thesis. [] stated that the appointee is a good friend of his and would characterize him as being very straightforward, honest, and a man who stands for social justice. [] stated that the appointee is not evasive and you always know where he stands. [] stated that the appointee is a patriotic and loyal American who has never been involved in any subversive type activities. [] stated that he has never known the appointee to associate with anyone of a disreputable type character, and he does not believe the appointee has any prejudices or biases. [] stated that he has never known the appointee to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs, and further that he knew nothing negative or derogatory regarding the appointee. [] closed by stating that he would recommend the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

On June 11, 1985, []

[] was contacted and advised that he would prefer not to comment but to have [] of his organization, respond concerning the appointee.

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On June 12, 1985, []

[] advised that it was not his agency's "normal practice to comment". [] further advised that he was not personally familiar with the appointee and had no comments to make.

On June 11, 1985, []

[] was contacted and advised that he has "some professional contact" with the appointee, however, he does not know him "that well". Concerning any comments regarding the appointee's competence, character, or integrity, [] stated "I suppose I'd rather not say".

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Arrest

On June 12, 1985, a check of the NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, Identification Section, by Investigative Assistant [redacted] revealed no arrest record for the appointee.

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Miscellaneous

On June 7, 1985, a check with the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, both criminal and civil divisions, revealed no prosecutive actions concerning the appointee.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPIN, BUDED: PAST.

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TO BUREAU JUNE 7, 1985.

IN REFERENCED TELETYPE NEW YORK LISTED AS AN ADDITIONAL
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ON JUNE 12, 1985, INVESTIGATION AT [REDACTED] DETERMINED
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REPORTING OFFICE WASHINGTON FIELD	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/13/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/10/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY lr
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REFERENCE: Bureau airtel, 5/24/85. Bureau teletype, 5/25/85. WFO teletype, 5/30/85. WFO report, 6/4/85. NY teletype, 6/8/85.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Where appropriate, Privacy Act (e)(3) data was furnished to persons interviewed. Express promises of confidentiality, both limited and unlimited have been noted where granted.

"WFO indices reveal no derogatory information identifiable with the appointee, his/her relatives, his/her social acquaintances, and his/her references."

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Report of: SA [REDACTED]

Office: WASHINGTON, D.C.

Date: 6/13/85

Field Office File #: 161-18287

Bureau File #:

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: References [REDACTED] knowledgeable concerning appointee, comment favorably and recommend.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

MISCELLANEOUS

The following investigation was conducted by
Special Agent (SA) [redacted] on June 10, 1985:

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[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee, RICHARD NEUHAUS, as a "close colleague" for approximately 10 years. [redacted] advised that he first became acquainted with the appointee when they both were actively involved in the civil rights movement. [redacted] advised that the appointee was a critic of the United States role in Vietnam, and that he disagreed with the appointee, but that they maintained respect for each other. [redacted] characterized the appointee as a "staunch democrat" in that the appointee believes democracy is the best system not only for the United States, but for any country. [redacted] stated that the appointee is opposed to dictatorship of any kind. [redacted] stated that the appointee is an able writer and speaker, that he is energetic, and that he becomes strongly involved in causes in which he believes. He advised that he is aware of no biases of the appointee toward any religious, racial, or ethnic group. [redacted] commented favorably on all aspects of the appointee's character, associates, reputation, and loyalty to the United States. He could provide no instances of abuse of alcohol or use of illegal drugs by the appointee. [redacted] was aware of no derogatory information concerning the appointee, and he recommended the appointee for employment in a position of trust and confidence in the United States Government.

[redacted] advised that he has known the appointee since approximately 1977, since they worked together on human rights issues. He stated that this professional relationship led to a personal friendship, and that he talks to the appointee approximately once a week, and sees him once every six weeks. [redacted] characterized the appointee as an honest, thoughtful man. He stated that he considers the appointee to be "one of the seminal minds" on the relationship between religion and social issues in the United States. [redacted] stated that he is aware of no biases on the appointee's part toward any religious, ethnic, or racial group. [redacted] commented favorably on all aspects of the appointee's character,

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associates, reputation, and loyalty to the United States. He was aware of no instances of use of illegal drugs or abuse of alcohol by the appointee. [] could provide no derogatory information concerning the appointee. He strongly recommended the appointee for employment in a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE CHICAGO	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/13/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/10/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA [REDACTED]	TYPED BY bcb b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN	

REFERENCE:

Report of SA [REDACTED] at Chicago dated June 10, 1985.

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It is noted that the interviews of the appointee's co-workers at the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE were set forth in referenced report.

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] of the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE,
recommended the appointee.

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DETAILS:

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EMPLOYMENT

ROCKFORD INSTITUTE
934 North Main Street
Rockford, Illinois

On June 10, 1985 []
[] advised that he has known the appointee on a professional basis for four or five years. Since January, 1984, the appointee has served as Director of the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE'S CENTER ON RELIGION AND SOCIETY which is located in New York, New York. The appointee is a member of the Community of Christ in the City, a religious community, located in New York City and his salary from the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE is paid directly to that community rather than to the appointee.

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[] said the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE was originally a part of ROCKFORD COLLEGE located in Rockford, Illinois. [] of ROCKFORD COLLEGE but as the work of the institute grew, []

[] said the original purpose of the institute was to design a philosophy of education based upon an understanding of the principles which govern society. The institute, however, has expanded and it now conducts studies in many areas relating to public policy. The institute, according to [] seeks to reestablish "religious grounded" values as the basis for public and personal decisions. He described the ROCKFORD INSTITUTE as a "religious and intellectual counterforce" to the National Council of Churches.

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[] described the appointee as a man of impeccable character who served for 17 years as the pastor of an inner city church. He said the appointee was very active in the civil rights movement and served as liaison between Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING and the "white churches." The appointee also served as a consultant to the presidential campaign of U.S. Senator GEORGE MC GOVERN.

[] said that despite the appointee's background as an activist in liberal causes, he is a major spokesman for traditional values. He noted that a book of the appointee on religion and democracy in America was published in 1984 by WILLIAM B. ERDMAN'S PUBLISHING COMPANY, Grand Rapids, Michigan, under the title, "THE NAKED PUBLIC SQUARE."

EMPLOYMENT: cont.

[] said he has not the slightest doubt of the appointee's loyalty to the United States. He said the appointee does not use illicit drugs or excessive amounts of alcohol.

[] is not personally acquainted with the appointee's family but believes the appointee's father was a clergyman.

[] recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States government.

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REPORTING OFFICE BUTTE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/17/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/14/85
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REFERENCES:

New York teletype to the Bureau, dated June 7, 1985.;
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Title:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Reference at Rexburg, Idaho, commented favorably
and recommended appointee.

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DETAILS:

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The following investigation was conducted by SA
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REFERENCE

On June 14, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he is acquainted with the appointee. He first became aware of appointee through an association in research and reading papers published by the appointee. Later, [redacted] became professionally acquainted with the appointee when they served together on a board for the Center for Religion and Society. [redacted] association with the appointee began approximately two years in the past.

[redacted] noted that he has been very impressed with the appointee as a most outstanding individual in every respect. He described the character, loyalty, associates and reputation of the appointee as unusually excellent. The appointee is an extremely well balanced individual, who is most highly considered by all who have an association with him. He noted that the appointee has an extraordinary intellectual ability.

[redacted] advised that he has never known the appointee to abuse alcohol or use drugs.

[redacted] advised that he highly recommends the appointee for a position of trust and responsibility.

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TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA [REDACTED]	TYPED BY ;kmk
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REFERENCE: Albany teletype to Director, dated 6/4/85; Buffalo teletype to Director, et al, dated 6/12/85.

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Where appropriate, Privacy Act (e) (3) data was furnished to persons interviewed. Express promises of confidentiality, both limited and unlimited, have been noted where granted.

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Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Professional acquaintance contacted. Indices negative.

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Details:

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent (SA)
[redacted] unless otherwise noted:

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Professional Acquaintance
Buffalo, New York

On June 12, 1985, [redacted]

[redacted] telephone [redacted] was contacted and advised that he does not know, nor has he ever been personally introduced to, RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS. [redacted] further advised that any information he had with regard to RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS was second-hand information obtained through general information sources such as the newspaper. [redacted] stated that since he has had no personal contact with RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, he was not in a position to make any judgment as to whether or not RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS would be a good or bad candidate for appointment to the United States Institute of Peace.

[redacted] advised that he has read several articles by RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS which deal with the Lutheran religion and topics such as social injustice, hunger, race, etc. [redacted] advised that he thought RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS was an intelligent individual with very good insights, and was strongly opinionated on those topics. [redacted] advised that RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS deals with issues

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and seemed to be outspoken on those issues, but never knew him to spur what he termed "social unrest!"

[] stated that he recalled a number of years ago that there was a conflict in the Lutheran church regarding some of their policy, and that RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS took a particular position on the matter and expressed his viewpoint, as was the custom in American society. [] found nothing wrong with this and could think of no particular incident which he would relate to the Federal Bureau of Investigation with regard to any background investigation being conducted on RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS which would be pertinent to a Presidential appointment to the United States Institute of Peace.

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[] again reiterated to the interviewing Agent that he could not provide any information, good or bad, with respect to RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS because he was in receipt of no firsthand information which would allow him to provide an opinion.

MISCELLANEOUS

Indices of the Buffalo Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation, negative.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE PHILADELPHIA	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 6/19/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/13/85 to 6/14/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY ra b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

REFERENCE

Philadelphia teletype, dated 6/3/85.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are serials from 100-525 91, 100-511 90-954 and 100-51190-135 and 100-51190-135 which are identical with appointee.

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Office: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania b6 b7C

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

References recommended the appointee for a position of trust with the United States Government.

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DETAILS:

Investigation at Lackawanna County conducted by
Special Agent [REDACTED] and at Camden County
by Special Agent [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE

On June 14, 1985, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] advised that he has known RICHARD NEUHAUS for approximately one and one half years. [REDACTED] said that he came to know MR. NEUHAUS through the Center on Religion and Society in New York City. [REDACTED] advised that MR. NEUHAUS was a Lutheran, has a tremendous sympathy for the Catholic religion and he further described MR. NEUHAUS has an extremely moral man who was definitely fighting for higher moral standards for the overall improvement of the moral tone of the nation. [REDACTED] described MR. NEUHAUS as a scholarly individual who has been invited to speak before religious and political groups, all in the United States. He advised that during the period he has known MR. NEUHAUS, he has come to know him as an individual of outstanding character and stated he associates only with reputable individuals. He said that MR. NEUHAUS enjoys an excellent reputation in the religious and political community and said that to his knowledge, MR. NEUHAUS is a loyal American citizen. He commented further that MR. NEUHAUS has the ability to get along well with people of all walks of life and he said that to his knowledge, MR. NEUHAUS certainly does not use illegal drugs or abuse alcohol. He concluded by stating that he would most definitely recommend MR. NEUHAUS.

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On June 13, 1985, [redacted] who was chosen as [redacted]
[redacted] by Religious Heritage of America, 5315
Walton Avenue, Pennsauken, NJ, highly recommended appointee for
a position on the United States Institute of Peace. She stated
she was honored to be listed as a reference by him. She first came to
know appointee over twenty years ago through his writings.
Both are Lutheran scholars. Many of appointee's views were in
opposition to hers. She came to admire appointee's
consistency and clarity. Appointee saw the implications of life
issues (abortion, human rights, etc.) well before anyone else.
Once again, his stance on these issues was contrary to hers.
Through his clear, consistent and logical arguments, appointee
was able to persuade [redacted] with the rightness of his views.
[redacted] advised appointee is a scholarly, upright, highly moral
individual. His character, reputation, loyalty and associates are
of the highest order. He does not use illegal drugs or abuse
alcohol. Appointee is one of the clearest thinkers in Christianity
today and one of the most fearless. He will not abandon his
principles. For this reason he has some people who like him
and some who hate him. Appointee writes and speaks well. He
has a very great depth of understanding. He comes from an old
church family. All his relatives are bright, creative and distinctive.
Appointee is an attractive man. There has never been any
scandal attached to his name. [redacted] stated appointee will be
a great asset to the federal government.

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RELATEL TO BUREAU, JUNE 3, 1985, AND FBIHQ
TELCALL TO LOS ANGELES, JUNE 19, 1985.

ON JUNE 19, 1985, SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]
SEARCHED THE RECORDS OF THE VENTURA, CALIFORNIA,
POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND VENTURA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS REGARDING

[REDACTED]
ON JUNE 19, 1985, IA [REDACTED] SEARCHED
THE RECORDS OF THE SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, POLICE
DEPARTMENT AND SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,
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		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN BUDED: PAST	

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REFERENCE: New York teletype to Bureau, et al, dated 6/7/85.

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All individuals contacted were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act, and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

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Title:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Reference commented favorably regarding appointee
and recommended same.

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DETAILS:

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]
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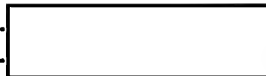
On June 14, 1985, [redacted]
[redacted]

telephone number [redacted] was contacted at his place of employment. [redacted] advised that he knows the appointee through a professional association. [redacted] stated his company published a book for the appointee and his company has recently signed a contract to publish a line of books that the appointee is editing. [redacted] further advised the appointee runs the Center for Democratic Studies in New York, New York, and publishes papers which result from lectures and seminars held at the center.

[redacted] stated that the appointee is a very bright, articulate, forceful person of high integrity. The appointee is a Lutheran pastor and has been on the staff of World View Magazine. [redacted] stated the appointee is well known in the church academic community. [redacted] stated the appointee's associates are either church related or fellow intellectuals and that the appointee associated with the same type of high caliber people as himself. [redacted] stated that the appointee enjoys a good reputation although he has some intellectual enemies since his appearance on the 60 Minutes television program. [redacted] stated that the appointee's character has never been impugned and that he is considered a "controversial intellect." [redacted] stated that he has no doubts at all as to the appointee's loyalty to the country. [redacted] stated that he does not know the appointee to abuse either alcohol or drugs and would be surprised if he learned that he did. [redacted] stated that he had no reason not to recommend the appointee for employment with the Federal Government, although [redacted] stated that he did not feel that he knew the appointee well enough to give a high recommendation.

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

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Honorable Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Fielding:

In accordance with a request received from you on May 21, 1985, an investigation has been conducted concerning Reverend Richard John Neuhaus. Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of this investigation.

When additional interviews concerning Reverend Neuhaus have been completed, you will be advised.

Sincerely yours,

Oliver B. Revell
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

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Enclosure

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ENCLOSURE

NOTE: Reverend Neuhaus, who is currently the Director of the Rockford Institute, New York, New York, is being investigated for a position in the United States Institute of Peace, which requires Senate confirmation. Investigation is favorable, except for unsubstantiated information that Reverend Neuhaus was removed from his first post as a pastor in a dispute over communion; and several arrests for disorderly conduct during Vietnam War protests. Investigation is complete, except for additional interviews.

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Executive Agency name check provided to the White House on May 10, 1985, contained information concerning Reverend Neuhaus' involvement in anti-Vietnam war activities during the period 1968-1971.

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~~SUMMARY~~

~~RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS~~

THE INVESTIGATION OF REVEREND NEUHAUS COVERED INQUIRIES IN THE UNITED STATES AS TO HIS CHARACTER, LOYALTY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HIS INCOME.

Birth

Reverend Neuhaus was born on May 14, 1936, in Pembroke, Ontario, Canada, to American parents.

Education

Reverend Neuhaus attended Concordia College, Austin, Texas, from September, 1953, to May, 1955, receiving an A.A. degree.

He attended Concordia Theological Seminary, Saint Louis, Missouri, from September, 1955, to June, 1960, receiving initially a B.A. degree and subsequently an M.D.V. degree.

Military Service

Reverend Neuhaus has indicated no prior military service.

Employment

1960 to 1961
(exact dates not recorded)

Saint Paul's Lutheran Church, Massena, New York, as pastor. It should be noted that the current pastor of this church, although he has never met Reverend Neuhaus, stated that he had heard from some of the older parishioners that Reverend Neuhaus had been "removed" from his position over a controversy involving holy communion. Due to the passage of time no one else familiar with this matter could be located for interview.

1961 to 1978
(exact dates not recorded)

Saint John the Evangelist Lutheran Church, Brooklyn, New York, as pastor.

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Richard John Neuhaus

1972 to 1983
(exact dates not recorded)

Council on Religion and
International Affairs, New York,
New York, as a part-time editor

February, 1984, to
the present

Rockford Institute, New York, New
York, as director of the Center
for Religion and Society

In addition to the employments listed above, Reverend Neuhaus has been a "Pastor in good standing" with the Association of Evangelical Lutheran Churches since his graduation from the Concordia Theological Seminary in 1960. Since 1978, he has assisted the Pastor of Emmanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, New York, New York, is the landlord of a "Christian Community House" operated by the Community of Christ (a religious organization); and writes and lectures on a full-time basis.

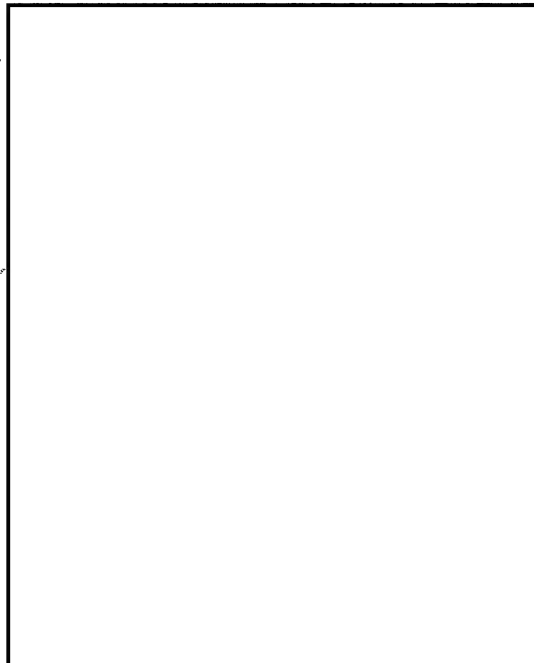
Family Status

Reverend Neuhaus is unmarried and resides at 338 East 19th Street, New York, New York.

Reverend Neuhaus's father, Clemens Neuhaus, is deceased. Reverend Neuhaus has listed the following living close relatives:

Mother

Ella Neuhaus
Pembroke, Ontario, Canada



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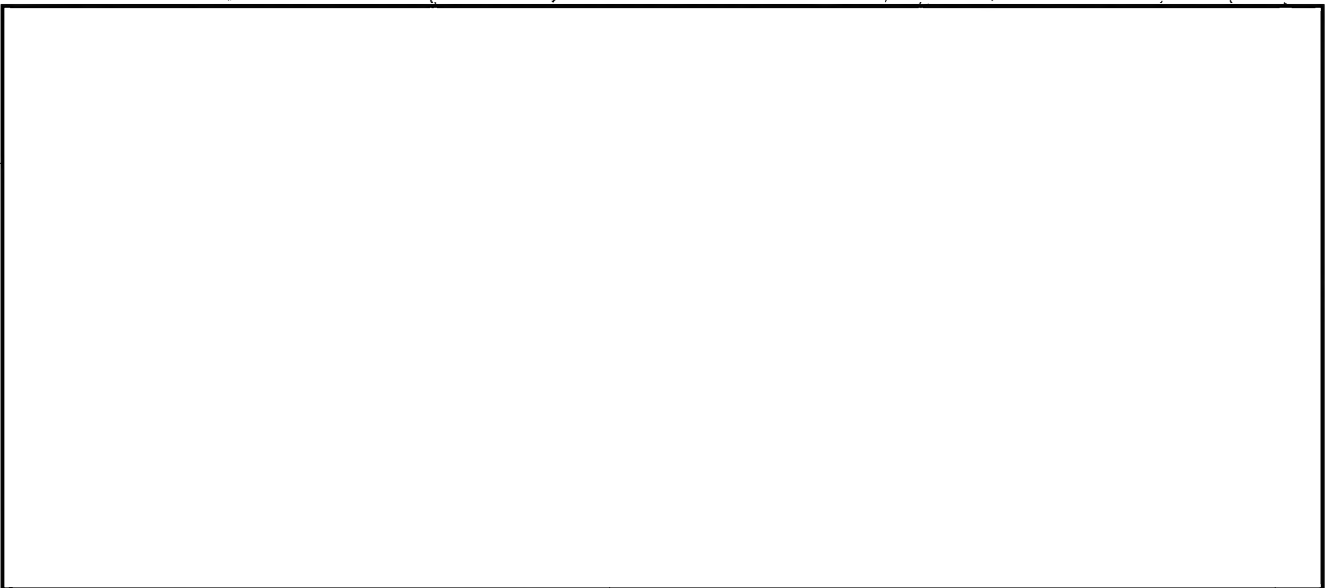
Based on the background information furnished by Reverend Neuhaus, he has no close relatives residing in communist-controlled countries.

Richard John Neuhaus

Interviews

Thirty-one persons, consisting of current and former colleagues, present neighbors, references, professional associates, and social acquaintances, were interviewed. They advised Reverend Neuhaus is a loyal American whose character, reputation, and associates are above reproach. He was described by a colleague as thoughtful, studious, and well-spoken. He was also described as a man of high integrity. An associate stated that Reverend Neuhaus is very intelligent, hardworking and dedicated. Another colleague stated that he has the ability to relate well to the community. A professional associate stated that Reverend Neuhaus possesses an astute mind and has the ability to cut through and understand issues. None of those interviewed knew him to exhibit biases of any kind. No one knew Reverend Neuhaus to use illegal drugs or abuse alcohol. All persons interviewed recommended Reverend Neuhaus for a position of trust and responsibility.

Among those interviewed are the following:



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Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from appropriate credit reporting agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Reverend Neuhaus.

Information has been received from appropriate law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain no record concerning Reverend Neuhaus or his close relatives, except the following:

Richard John Neuhaus

Information has been received from the Chicago, Illinois, Police Department indicating that Reverend Neuhaus was arrested on August 29, 1968, for disorderly conduct during demonstrations held in the vicinity of the Democratic National Convention. On April 14, 1969, he was fine \$400 plus court costs.

Reverend Neuhaus has also indicated that he was arrested, either two or three times, for trespassing by the New York City Police Department during the period 1961 to 1971, in connection with civil rights or anti-war protests. A check of the records of appropriate law enforcement authorities could locate no record of these arrests.

Miscellaneous

During the course of this investigation representatives of the National Council of Churches and the Lutheran Council of the United States of America were contacted but declined to make any comment concerning Reverend Neuhaus.

Agency Checks

Information has been received from the Central Intelligence Agency indicating its files contain no record concerning Reverend Neuhaus, his mother, Ella Neuhaus, or his

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Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Reverend Neuhaus:

Office of Personnel Management,
United States Secret Service,
and the White House Office.

Central files at FBI Headquarters and in the field divisions, files of the Identification Division and appropriate computer data bases contain no additional pertinent information identifiable with Reverend Neuhaus or his close relatives other than that supplied to you by communication dated May 10, 1985.

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: 6/5/85.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, DATED 5/28/85.

NO RECORD OR IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION LOCATED IN DALLAS OFFICE
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1985; CONFIDENTIAL INDICES SEARCHED BY [REDACTED] ON JUNE 10,
1985; AND ELSUR INDICES SEARCHED BY [REDACTED] ON JUNE 23, 1985.

ADMINISTRATIVE: [REDACTED] WAS INTERVIEWED AND CONSIDERS
APPOINTEE TO BE OF EXCELLENT CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION, AND
LOYALTY. [REDACTED] KNOWS OF NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION ON APPOINTEE AND
HAS NEVER KNOWN APPOINTEE TO USE ANY TYPE OF NARCOTIC DRUG OR ALCO-
HOLIC BEVERAGE. [REDACTED] WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND APPOINTEE AND BELIEVES
APPOINTEE WOULD BE AN ASSET TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. 1985

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June 28, 1985

BY COURIER *6/28/85*

Honorable Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Fielding:

Reference is made to my letter dated June 25, 1985,
which furnished you the results of an investigation concerning
Reverend Richard John Neuhaus.

Enclosed is a copy of a summary memorandum containing
the results of additional inquiries in this matter.

This completes our investigation.

Sincerely yours,

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Oliver B. Revell
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division (2)

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

The information in this summary memorandum supplements the information contained in a summary memorandum dated June 25, 1985.

Interviews

Five additional persons were interviewed, and all persons commented favorably regarding Reverend Neuhaus' character, loyalty, and general standing. They did not know him to use illegal drugs or abuse alcohol and recommended him for a position of trust and responsibility.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE DALLAS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 8/27/85	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/10/85 - 8/23/85
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 150px;"></div>	TYPED gm
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

BUDED: Past

REFERENCES: Bureau teletype to all offices dated 5/25/85.
Dallas teletype to Bureau dated 6/28/85.
New York teletype to Bureau, Et al, dated 6/7/85.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Person contacted was apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act, and did not request confidentiality.

Person interviewed was located in Dallas Office indices, and was found to be the identical person listed in Dallas file 105-2747. It was noted that had been mentioned as an individual who was going to be visiting a certain country, however, since the

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trip was based on evangelical reasons, no contact with
[redacted] was made.

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The interview contained herein was previously
forwarded to the Bureau by teletype.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: ROBERT A. BLECKSMITH
Date: 8/27/85

Office: Dallas, Texas

Field Office File #: 161B-1856

Bureau File #:

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Appointee reference, [] advised the appointee has an impeccable reputation, and is a great communicator. [] highly recommended the appointee for the position, and provided no negative information.

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DETAILS:

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted]

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REFERENCE

AT MARSHALL, TEXAS

On June 11, 1985, [redacted] advised he has known appointee approximately five years. [redacted] stated appointee has an impeccable reputation and the ability to move in different groups with grace. [redacted] stated appointee has a conviction that is in harmony with the principles of the REAGAN administration. [redacted] stated appointee is the foremost minister in the United States of America and appointee has the unusual ability to communicate.

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[redacted] stated appointee is excellent in public relations, a scholar, and appointee has a balance a few people enjoy and does all of his work with enthusiasm.

[redacted] stated he would highly recommend appointee and believes appointee would be an asset to the UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT regardless of the capacity for which appointee is being considered.

[redacted] stated he has been at social functions with appointee, [redacted]

[redacted] considers appointee to be of excellent character, associates, reputation, and loyalty. [redacted] stated he knows of no derogatory information on appointee and has never known appointee to use any type of narcotic drug or alcoholic beverage.

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FBI PITTSBURGH {161-1730-3087} PRIORITY

FBI WASHINGTON FIELD {161-18287} PRIORITY

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS; SPIN {A}; BUDED: 4/7/87.

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE LIMITED
UPDATE INVESTIGATION OF NEUHAUS FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT
AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE UNITED STATES
INSTITUTE OF PEACH WHICH REQUIRES SENATE CONFIRMATION.

APPOINTEE IS DESCRIBED AS BORN MAY 14, 1936 IN PEMBROKE,
ONTARIO, CANADA; RESIDES AT 338 E. 19TH STREET, NEW YORK, NEW
YORK; IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY THE ROCKFORD INSTITUTE, NEW
YORK, NEW YORK; AND HAS SSAN: 450-56-0731.

NEW YORK CHECK INDICES AND ELSURE FILES BASED UPON
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AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE, IF UTILIZING MAJOR

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NOTE: REQUEST RECEIVED MARCH 31, 1987, FROM ARTHUR B.
CULVAHOUSE, JR., COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT.

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RESULTS {POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE} BY TELETYPE SUMMARY AND IF
POSITIVE, FOLLOW WITH COPIES OF DOCUMENTS BY AIRTEL.

NEW YORK WILL LIMIT INVESTIGATION TO ARREST AND CREDIT
CHECKS WHERE APPOINTEE CURRENTLY RESIDES AND IS EMPLOYED.
ALSO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE TO DETERMINE
IF THERE IS ANY INDICATION OF FEDERAL PROSECUTIVE ACTION
{CIVIL OR CRIMINAL, IN CLOSED OR CURRENT FILES} CONCERNING
APPOINTEE.

PITTSBURGH CHECK OPM.

WASHINGTON FIELD CHECK WHITE HOUSE, UNITED STATES SECRET
SERVICE, AND PUBLIC INTEGRITY SECTION/DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

COPY OF RELEASE FORM WILL BE FORWARDED TO NEW YORK BY
FACSIMILE.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION IS REQUESTED AT THIS TIME;
HOWEVER, OFFICES TO SUBMIT RESULTS BY BUDED BY SUMMARY
TELETYPE SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION, NO REPORT NECESSARY.

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April 2, 1987

- ☒ Name Searching Unit, 4989, TL# 121
☐ Service Unit, 4654, TL# 225
☐ Special File Room 5991 TL# 122
☒ Forward to F [redacted], TL# 143
☐ Attention [redacted]
☒ Return to [redacted] 180

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Scope of Search: (Check One)

- ☐ Automated Data Base (ADB)(Individual Born 1962 and After)
☐ Restricted Search (Active Index - 5 & 20)
☐ Restricted Search (Active & Inactive Index - 5 & 30)
☒ Unrestricted (Active & Inactive Index)

Type of ~~Search~~ Requested: (Check One)

- ☒ All References (Security & Criminal)
☐ Security Search
☐ Criminal Search
☐ Main

References Only

Special Instructions: (Check One)

- ☐ Exact Name Only (On the Nose)
☐ Buildup ☒ Variations
☐ Restricted to Locality of 2

Subject Neuhaus, Richard John
Birthdate & Place 05/14/36 Pembroke, Ontario
Address New York, NY Canada

Localities

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March 27, 1987
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TO: FBI, LIAISON
FROM: PETER J. WALLISON
SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Subject's Name: NEUHAUS, RICHARD JOHN (450-56-0731)
Date of Birth: 5/14/36 Place of Birth: Pembroke, Ontario, Canada
Present Address: 338 E. 19th St., New York, NY

We request: ☐ Copy of Previous Report
☐ Name Check ☐ Expanded Name Check
☐ Full Field Investigation NO IES TO FBI
☒ Limited Update

The person named above is being considered for:

☐ White House Staff Position
☒ Presidential Appointment *(PAS)
*Senate Confirmation

Attachments:

☒ SF 86 1 2
☐ SF 87, Fingerprint Card
☒ SF 86, Supplement

Remarks/Special Instructions:

Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace

NOTE: WE DO HAVE COPIES OF THE 1968, 1971 and 1985 REPORTS

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Standard Form 86
AUGUST 1964
U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
(F.P.M. CHAPTER 735)
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SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR SENSITIVE POSITION

CASE SERIAL NO. (CSC use only)

INSTRUCTIONS.—Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

1. FULL NAME (Initials and abridgements of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show "(NMN)"; if initials only, show "(no given or middle name)"		(LAST NAME) <u>Neuhaus</u>	(FIRST NAME) <u>Richard</u>	(MIDDLE NAME) <u>John</u>	2. DATE OF BIRTH <u>14 May 1936</u>	
OTHER NAMES USED. (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.) <u>None</u>					3. PLACE OF BIRTH <u>Pembroke, Ont</u>	
					4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE	
					5. HEIGHT <u>5'10"</u>	WEIGHT <u>164</u>
					COLOR EYES <u>grey</u>	COLOR HAIR <u>Brown</u>
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED		7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.)				
8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. (If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both. Begin with present and go back to January 1, 1937. Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.)						
FROM		TO		NUMBER AND STREET	CITY	STATE
1978 -		Present		338 E. 19 St.	NY	NY
1961 -		1978		195 Maujer St.	Bklyn.	NY
1960 -		1961		10 Douglas Rd.	Massena	NY
1955 -		1960		801 DeMun	St. Louis	MO
1953 -		1955		Concordia College	Austin	TX
1952 -		1953		1500 E. St.	Cisco	TX
1936 -		1952		357 Miller St.	Pembroke	ONT
9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. CITIZEN <input type="checkbox"/> ALIEN						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BY BIRTH		<input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZED		ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.		
CERT. NO.		PETITION NO.		DATE, PLACE, AND COURT		
<input type="checkbox"/> DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO(S).						
REGISTRATION NO.		NATIVE COUNTRY		DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY		
10. EDUCATION.—(All schools above elementary.)						
NAME OF SCHOOL		ADDRESS		FROM (Year)	TO (Year)	DEGREES
<u>NY State</u>		<u>115 West</u>				
11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. (See also item 29.)						
12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER <u>450 56 0731</u>						
13. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)						
SERIAL NO. (If none, give grade or rating at separation)		BRANCH OF SERVICE (Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)		FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)	
<u>161-18674</u>		<u>1st</u>		<u>1942</u>	<u>1945</u>	

26a. REFERENCES. (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are aware of your qualifications and fitness.)

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26b. CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATES. (Name three persons, such as friends, schoolmates or colleagues, who know you well.)

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27. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A FULL FIELD OR BACKGROUND PERSONAL INVESTIGATION BY ANY AGENCY OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT? ☐ YES ☐ NO. (If your answer is "Yes," show in item 28, (1) the name of the investigating agency (2) the approximate date of investigation, and (3) the level of security clearance granted, if known.)

28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

29. REPORT OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED. (This space reserved for FBI use.)

DATE:

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Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form
is punishable by law.

3/23/87
(DATE)


(SIGNATURE—Sign original and first carbon copy)

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

INSTRUCTIONS TO AGENCY: See Federal Personnel Manual Chapter 736 and FPM Supplement 296-31, Appendix A, for details on when this form is required and how it is used. If this is a request for investigation before appointment, insert "APPL" in the space for Date of Appointment and show information about the proposed appointment in the other spaces for appointment data. The original and the first carbon copy should be signed by the applicant or appointee. Submit the original and the unsigned carbon copy of the form, Standard Form 87 (Fingerprint Chart), and any investigative information about the person received on voucher forms or otherwise, to the United States Civil Service Commission, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Washington, D.C., 20415. If this is a request for full field security investigation, submit these forms to the attention of the Division of Reimbursable Investigations; if this is a request for preappointment national agency checks, submit these forms to the attention of the Control Section.

RETAIN THE CARBON COPY OF STANDARD FORM 86 (SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT OR APPOINTEE) FOR YOUR FILES

DATE OF APPOINTMENT	TYPE OF APPOINTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> EXCEPTED <input type="checkbox"/> COMPETITIVE. (Include indefinite and temporary types of competitive appointments.)	CIVIL SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY	TITLE OF POSITION AND GRADE OR SALARY
DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	DUTY STATION	SEND RESULTS OF PREAPPOINTMENT CHECK TO:	
THIS IS A SENSITIVE POSITION (SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)			

14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND SUPERVISOR (Full name, if known)</u>	<u>ADDRESS (Where employed)</u>	<u>TYPE OF WORK</u>	<u>REASON FOR LEAVING</u>
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16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☐ YES ☐ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHARGE</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY</u>	<u>ACTION TAKEN</u>
1961 to 1971	2 or 3 trespassing changes in connection with civil rights and anti-war protest	NYC	NYC Police	SUSPENDED OR CHARGES DISMISSED
1968	Trespassing	Chicago	Chicago Police	SUSPENDED

19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE
Western Europe	1969	1969	Tourism
Mexico	1953	1953	Tourism
African Countries	1971	1971	Research
South Africa	1983	1983	Research
South Africa	1986	1986	Research

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME IN FULL	ADDRESS	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
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24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

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25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

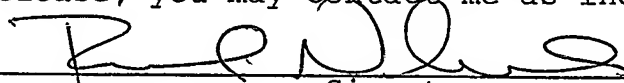
RELATION	NAME IN FULL	YEAR OF BIRTH	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
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AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; regulatory agency records; professional board certification and grievance records; law enforcement records (including, but not limited to any record of charge, prosecution, or conviction for criminal or civil offenses); and credit records, including credit card and payment device numbers. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as is described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, professional board, regulatory agency, retail business establishment, law enforcement agency, or criminal justice agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any question as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name:


Signature

Full Name:

Richard John Neuhaus
Type or Print Name

Parent or Guardian
(if required):

Date:

2/20/87

Current
Address:

338 E 19 St

NY, NY 10003

Telephone
Number:

212-532-4320

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM FOR PROSPECTIVE APPOINTEES

FROM: PETER J. WALLISON
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

PJW

This letter confirms in writing your express consent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to investigate your background in connection with the consideration of your application for employment.

You should be aware that the authority to collect this background information is based on the President's executive powers in Article II of the Constitution. The information will be used to obtain necessary clearances to assist you in your work. The background information, which includes a review of FBI files, will be disclosed to another Federal agency, to assist in its process of clearing you. Willfully making a false statement, or concealing a material fact, may constitute a violation of Section 1001, Title 18, of the U.S. Code.

If you provide any information which indicates a violation of law, whether civil, criminal or regulatory in nature, it will be referred to the appropriate Federal, state, local or foreign agency.

By volunteering information concerning activities protected by the First Amendment, it will be assumed that you are expressly authorizing the maintenance of this information in the records of any Federal agency.

The FBI investigation will include the collection and use of relevant information in the files of various Federal agencies and it is necessary that you authorize the disclosure of such information to the FBI.

If you consent to such an investigation, and to the disclosure of relevant information by other Federal departments and agencies to the FBI, please sign your name below and return this original letter of consent to me.

Thank you.

Name (please print)

RICHARD SORU NEUHAUS

Signature

R. S. Neuhaus

Date

1/27/87

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FROM:

SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 1B035 TL 254

SUBJECT:

Richard John Neuhaus SPIN, BUDED: 04/07/87

The Bureau has been requested to conduct an expedite investigation of the above-captioned subject, who is being considered for an unspecified Presidential appointment. The indicated unit is requested to check appropriate indices based upon available information concerning subject, employment, and all close relatives. It is requested that the results of your checks, positive or negative, be indicated in the spaces provided below, and relayed to the Special Inquiry Unit (SPIN), Room 1B035 TL 254, via routing slip marked "URGENT", on or before BUDED.

Subject is described as follows:

Result

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Name:

Richard John Neuhaus

DOB:

05/14/36

POB:

Pembroke, Ontario, Canada

SSAN:

450-564 0731

Current residence:

338 E. 12th Street

Employment:

Rockford Institute, New York, New York

Close Relatives

Result

Relationship

Name

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Residence

*searched as Neuhaus

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SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 1B035 TL 254

SUBJECT:

Richard John Neuhaus SPIN,

BUDED:

04/07/87

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Subject is described as follows:

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Name:

Richard John Neuhaus

DOB:

05/14/36

POB:

Fremont, Ontario, Canada

SSAN:

450-564 0731

Current residence:

338 E. 19th Street

New York, NY

Employment:

Rockford Institute

New York, New York

Close Relatives

Result	Relationship	Name	DOB	Residence
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DOB: 05/24/36
POB: Pembroke, Ontario, Canada
SSAN: 450-564 0731
Current residence: 338 E. 19th Street
New York, NY
Employment: Rockford Institute,
New York, New York

Close Relatives

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE PITTSBURGH	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 4/6/87	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 4/3/87 - 4/6/87
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY IA 	TYPED BY ery
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN (A)	

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Bureau teletype to New York et al, dated
March 31, 1987.

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TER
"14637"ADMINISTRATIVE:

All persons contacted in this matter were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974, and none requested confidentiality.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

IA [REDACTED]

Office: PITTSBURGH

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Date:

April 6, 1987

Field Office File #: PG 161A-R-1140

Bureau File #:

Title:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Office of Personnel Management (OPM) checks show no information since previous investigation.

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DETAILS:

On April 6, 1987, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] UNITED STATES OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT (USOPM), NACI Center, Boyers, Pennsylvania, advised that OPM files contain no additional information for captioned applicant since last investigation conducted.

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Memorandum



To : DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTENTION: ROOM 5161)

Date: 4/8/87

From : *ST* *ST* *WFO* SAC, WFO 161B-18287

(RUC)

TER
"1/4/87"

Subject : Richard John Neuhaus

SPIN

BUDED: 4/7/87

RE: Bu tel to WFO, 3/31/87

The following investigation was conducted by the persons indicated on the dates indicated:

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EMPLOYMENT

WHITE HOUSE OFFICE (WHO)
EXECUTIVE CLERKS OFFICE
OLD EXECUTIVE OFFICE BUILDING
17TH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] on April 6, 1987, regarding the appointee, RICHARD NEUHAUS.

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~~The following record of appointment or nomination~~
regarding the appointee could be located in the office:

12/18/85

Nominated

12/9/85

Confirmed as member of the
Board of Directors of the
United States Institute of
Peace for a period of two
years.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF PUBLIC INTEGRITY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

On 4/7/87, [REDACTED] Office of Public Integrity,
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, advised IA [REDACTED] that no
identifiable record could be located regarding the appointee,
RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
U. S. SECRET SERVICE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

On 4/7/87, IA caused a search to be made of the files of the U. S. SECRET SERVICE and was advised that no record was found concerning the appointee, RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 4/8/87	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 4/3-8/87
TITLE OF CASE ST SF RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY IA [REDACTED]	TYPED BY mms
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN	

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Butel to New York, dated 3/31/87; and NYrep to Bureau, dated 6/12/85.

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The following is an update from June, 1985:

A search of NYO ISIS files on 4/3/87 by [REDACTED] met with negative results for the appointee.

A search of NYO ELSUR files on 4/4/87 by [REDACTED] met with negative results for appointee.

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APPROVED: <i>Thomas L. Sherry</i> SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE							DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
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A search of NYO CIFU Indices on 4/3/87 by [] met with negative results for appointee.

[] A search of NYO General Indices on 4/2/87 by [] and file review on 4/3/87 by [] revealed several ident files for appointee. NYrep to Bureau, dated 6/12/85, revealed Bureau has been previously provided with this information in which appointee was affiliated with CALCAV. The files are as follows:

Bureau file 100-451767
Bureau file 105-170160
Bureau file 14-2965
Bureau file 100-445003
Bureau file 100-460495
Bureau file 157-6-34
Bureau file 105-138315
Bureau file 62-111181

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

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Office: New York, New York

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Date:

April 8, 1987

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Field Office File #:

161A-R1023

Bureau File #:

Title:

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

USA, credit and criminal checks set forth.

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DETAILS:

Miscellaneous

On April 7, 1987, a check with the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, both civil and criminal divisions, revealed no prosecutive actions concerning appointee.

Arrest

On April 6, 1987, Investigative Assistant [] caused the records of the New York City Police Department to be checked for appointee which proved negative.

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Credit

On April 7, 1987, Investigative Assistant [] caused a search to be made with Credit Bureau Incorporated which revealed appointee has a good credit rating.

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BY COURIER

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Honorable Arthur E. Culvahouse, Jr.
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Culvahouse:

In accordance with a request received from your office on March 31, 1987, a limited update investigation has been conducted concerning Reverend Richard John Neuhaus. Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of this investigation.

A background investigation was conducted concerning Reverend Neuhaus in 1985. The results of that investigation have been previously provided to your office. The enclosed summary memorandum covers limited inquiries in the locality where Reverend Neuhaus currently resides and is employed.

Sincerely yours,

(WT)

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Floyd I. Clarke
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

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Enclosure (4)
TER: vm

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NOTE: Reverend Neuhaus is currently employed by the Rockford Institute, New York, New York. He is being investigated for reappointment to the Board of Directors of the United States Institute for Peace, which requires Senate confirmation. This limited update is favorable and complete.

RETURN TO [REDACTED] ROOM 1B035

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RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

M Summary

This summary memorandum provides the results of limited inquiries in the locality where Reverend Neuhaus is currently employed and resides. Reverend Neuhaus was born on May 14, 1936, in Pembroke, Ontario, Canada.

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from appropriate credit reporting agencies indicating their files contain no pertinent information concerning Reverend Neuhaus.

Information has been received from appropriate law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain no record concerning Reverend Neuhaus.

Agency Checks

Information has been received from the United States Attorney's Office covering the area where Reverend Neuhaus currently resides and is employed, indicating its civil and criminal files contain no record concerning him.

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no pertinent information concerning Reverend Neuhaus:

Office of Personnel Management;
Public Integrity Section,
Department of Justice;
and the United States Secret Service.

Records of the White House Office indicate that Reverend Neuhaus was appointed a member of the Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace on December 9, 1985.

The central records at FBI Headquarters, the records of the Identification Division, the files of appropriate field offices, as well as appropriate computer data bases, were checked and contain no additional pertinent information identifiable with Reverend Neuhaus.

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CONGRESSIONAL RECORD — SENATE

December 11, 1987

and will be in the RECORD for Senators and staffs to note.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 11 A.M.,
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1987

Mr. BYRD. Mr. President, if there be no further business at the hour of 3:18 a.m., on this morning, I move, in accordance with the order previously entered, that the Senate stand in adjournment until the hour of 11 o'clock on Tuesday next.

The motion was agreed to, and at 3:18 a.m., the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, December 15, 1987, at 11 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate December 11, 1987:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

RICHARD SALISBURY WILLIAMSON, OF ILLINOIS, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, VICE ALAN LEE KEYES, RESIGNED.

COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

WENDY LEE GRAMM, OF TEXAS, TO BE A COMMISSIONER OF THE COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM EXPIRING APRIL 13, 1990, VICE SUSAN MEREDITH PHILLIPS, RESIGNED.
WENDY LEE GRAMM, OF TEXAS, TO BE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION, VICE SUSAN MEREDITH PHILLIPS, RESIGNED.

CONFIRMATION

Executive nomination confirmed by the Senate December 11, 1987:

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

ANN DORE MCLAUGHLIN, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE SECRETARY OF LABOR.
THE ABOVE NOMINATION WAS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE NOMINEE'S COMMITMENT TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS TO APPEAR AND TESTIFY BEFORE ANY DULY CONSTITUTED COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE.

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate December 12, 1987:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

EARL E. GJELDE, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

NATIONAL COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

RAYMOND J. PETERSEN, OF CONNECTICUT, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON LI-

BRARIES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM EXPIRING JULY 19, 1991; AND SALLY JO VASICKO, OF INDIANA, AND JULIA LI WU, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE FOR TERMS EXPIRING JULY 19, 1992.

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

BEVERLY FISHER WHITE, OF FLORIDA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL MUSEUM SERVICES BOARD FOR A TERM EXPIRING DECEMBER 6, 1990.

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

JOSHUA M. JAVITS, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD FOR THE TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 1989.

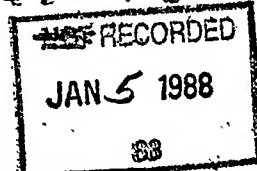
U.S. INSTITUTE OF PEACE

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED PERSONS TO BE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE U.S. INSTITUTE OF PEACE FOR TERMS EXPIRING JANUARY 19, 1991:

WILLIAM R. KINTNER, OF PENNSYLVANIA.
MORRIS I. LEIBMAN, OF ILLINOIS.
SIDNEY LOVETT, OF CONNECTICUT.
RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS, OF NEW YORK.
ELSPETH DAVIES ROSTOW, OF TEXAS.
W. BRUCE WEINROD, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

THE ABOVE NOMINATIONS WERE APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE NOMINEES' COMMITMENT TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS TO APPEAR AND TESTIFY BEFORE ANY DULY CONSTITUTED COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 1/6/92	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/2/92 - 1/6/92
TITLE OF CASE RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS		REPORT MADE BY PSS [redacted]	TYPED BY: amw
		CHARACTER OF CASE SPIN (H)	

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REFERENCE

Bufacsimile to New York dated 12/27/91.

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All individuals interviewed were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974; those desiring confidentiality are so noted.

On 1/3/92 Special Clerks [redacted] reviewed the New York Office General and Elsur indices respectively and found nothing positively identifiable with the candidate.

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APPROVED <i>[Signature]</i>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Copy to:

Report of:
Date:

PSS [REDACTED]
January 6, 1992

Office: NEW YORK

Field Office File #: 161H-HQ-18674

Bureau File #: 161H-HQ-18674

Title: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Federal Prosecutive action check negative.

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DETAILS

161H-HQ-18674

FEDERAL PROSECUTIVE ACTION CHECK

United States Attorney,s Office (USA)
Eastern District of New York (EDNY)
Brooklyn, NY

Southern District of New York (SDNY)

On January 02,1991, the Office of the USA, EDNY and SDNY, were contacted regarding RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS.

Both Criminal and Civil Division were contacted and a review of the pending and closed records revealed no records pertaining to RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS.

FAX

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NO REC.
December 26, 1991

FROM: Director, FBI (161H - HQ - 18674)
TO: SAC, New York
SUBJECT: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS
SPIN-ENC;
OO: FBIHQ
BUDED: JANUARY 6, 1992

Bureau has been requested to conduct ENC on appointee. Appointee's DPOB: May 14, 1936, in Pembroke, Ontario, Canada; SSAN 450-56-0731; resides at 338 East 19th Street, New York, New York; employed by the Institute on Religion and Public Life, also in New York. Appointee was the subject of a previous background investigation conducted in 1985, and a limited update investigation conducted in 1987, see your file 161-9672.

Submit results via teletype (attention: PSS SPIN Unit, Room 4371, ext. 2568). If positive, also advise via telephone immediately and forward copies of pertinent documents via airtel or facsimile, ext. 2574, to arrive by buded.

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Leads:

Receiving office is to:

1. Search appointee in general, ELSUR, and any special indices maintained and conduct appropriate file reviews.

2. Check appropriate U.S. Attorney's Office for appointee's involvement as defendant in any Federal criminal or civil matter, current or past.

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SPECIAL INQUIRY UNIT
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
RECORDS/OPERATIONS SECTIONS

DATE: 12/27/91

BUDED: 01/06/92

X NAME SEARCHING UNIT, 4989, TL# 121 SERVICE UNIT
X FORWARD TO FILE REVIEW, 5447, TL# 143
X RETURN TO: [REDACTED] ROOM 4371, TL# 114, EXT. 2568

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SCOPE OF SEARCH: UNRESTRICTED (ADB)

TYPE OF SEARCH REQUESTED: ALL REFERENCES (SECURITY & CRIMINAL)

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- EXACT NAME ONLY (ON THE NOSE)
X VARIATIONS

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SUBJECT: * NEUHAUS, RICHARD, JOHN *
AKA(S): *
BIRTHDATE & PLACE: * 05/14/36; PEMBROKE, ONTARIO, CANADA *
SSAN: * 450-56-0731 *
CURRENT ADDRESS: 338 EAST 19TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10003

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IDENT CHECK ROOM 11262B TUBE J1, ATTN: [REDACTED]

FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY UNIT, [REDACTED]

DIV 6, RM 4371, TL114

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EXT: 2568 ATTN: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

BUDED: 01/06/92

THE BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT AN EXPEDITE BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION OF THE ABOVE-CAPTIONED SUBJECT, WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT. YOU ARE REQUESTED TO CHECK APPROPRIATE INDICES BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING SUBJECT, EMPLOYMENT, AND ALL CLOSE RELATIVES. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE RESULTS OF YOUR CHECK, WHETHER POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE, BE INDICATED IN THE SPACES PROVIDED BELOW, AND RELAYED TO THE SPECIAL INQUIRY UNIT, RM 4371, VIA ROUTING SLIP MARKED 'URGENT'.

SUBJECT IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: *12/21/92*

RESULT NAME: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS *6*

DOB: 05/14/36

POB: PEMBROKE, ONTARIO, CANADA

SSAN: 450-56-0731

CURRENT ADDRESS: 338 EAST 19TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10003 *6*

EMPLOYMENT: INSTITUTE OF RELIGION AND PUBLIC LIFE
*, NY *N*

CHECK CONDUCTED BY: _____, ON _____

12/21/92

12/21/92

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20537

APPLICANT

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5. BE SURE IMPRESSIONS ARE RECORDED IN CORRECT ORDER.
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7. IF SOME PHYSICAL CONDITION MAKES IT IMPOSSIBLE TO OBTAIN PERFECT IMPRESSIONS, SUBMIT THE BEST THAT CAN BE OBTAINED WITH A MEMO STAPLED TO THE CARD EXPLAINING THE CIRCUMSTANCES.
8. EXAMINE THE COMPLETED PRINTS TO SEE IF THEY CAN BE CLASSIFIED, BEARING IN MIND THAT MOST FINGERPRINTS FALL INTO THE PATTERNS SHOWN ON THIS CARD (OTHER PATTERNS OCCUR INFREQUENTLY AND ARE NOT SHOWN HERE).

THIS CARD FOR USE BY:

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4. OFFICIALS OF FEDERALLY CHARTERED OR INSURED BANKING INSTITUTIONS TO PROMOTE OR MAINTAIN THE SECURITY OF THOSE INSTITUTIONS.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- *1. PRINTS MUST FIRST BE CHECKED THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE STATE IDENTIFICATION BUREAU, AND ONLY THOSE FINGERPRINTS FOR WHICH NO DISQUALIFYING RECORD HAS BEEN FOUND LOCALLY SHOULD BE SUBMITTED FOR FBI SEARCH.
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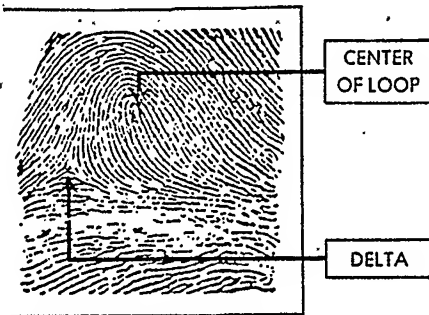
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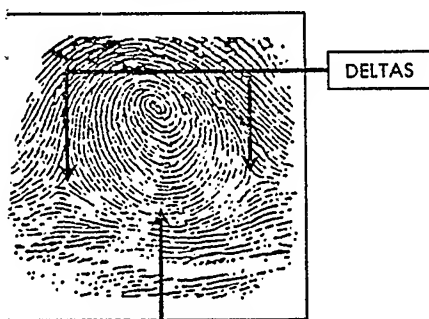
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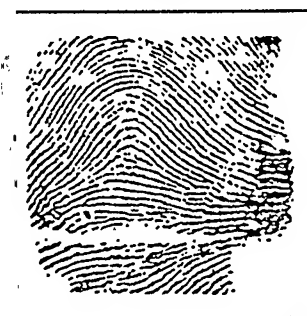
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ARCHES HAVE NO DELTAS

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 23, 1991

(Date)

TO: FBI, LIAISON
FROM: C. BOYDEN GRAY
SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Subject's Name NEUHAUS, RICHARD JOHN SSN: 450-56-0731
Date of Birth 05/14/36 Place of Birth Canada
Present Address 338 E. 19th Street, New York, NY 10003 NY

We request: _____ Copy of Previous Report
_____ Name Check
☒ Expanded Name Check
_____ Full Field Investigation: Level I___ Level II___ Level III___
_____ Limited Update
_____ Other

The person named above is being considered for:

_____ White House Staff Position
☒ Presidential Appointment
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Attachments:

_____ SF 86
_____ SF 87, Fingerprint Card
_____ SF 86, Supplement

Remarks/Special Instructions:

PA - US Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the U.N. (Possible previous checks)

NCIC CHECK

ROOM 1328 TL153, ATTN: [REDACTED]

WANTED & CCH FILES

FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY UNIT

DIV 6, RM 43 [REDACTED] TL114

EXT: 2568 ATTN: PSS [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS
AKA(S):

BUDED: 01/06/92

THE BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT AN EXPEDITE BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION OF THE ABOVE-CAPTIONED SUBJECT, WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT. YOU ARE REQUESTED TO CHECK APPROPRIATE INDICES BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING SUBJECT, EMPLOYMENT, AND ALL CLOSE RELATIVES. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE RESULTS OF YOUR CHECK, WHETHER POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE, BE INDICATED IN THE SPACES PROVIDED BELOW, AND RELAYED TO THE SPECIAL INQUIRY UNIT, RM 4371, VIA ROUTING SLIP MARKED 'URGENT'.

SUBJECT IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

RESULT NAME: RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

DOB: 05/14/36

POB: PEMBROKE, ONTARIO, CANADA

SSAN: 450-56-0731

CURRENT ADDRESS: 338 EAST 19TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10003

EMPLOYMENT: INSTITUTE OF RELIGION AND PUBLIC LIFE
*, NY

CHECK CONDUCTED BY: *why*, ON *1/2/92*

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO: INFORMATION MANAGEMENT DIVISION, ELSUR INDEX
ROOM 5331, TL 114

DATE: 12/27/91

FROM: X CID _ LCD _ INTD _ RMS _ OTHER _____

PRIORITY: _ EXPEDITE, WILL PICK UP;
_ ROUTINE
X DATE NEEDED: 01/03/92

REQUEST FOR SEARCH OF ELSUR INDEX FOR THE PURPOSE OF:

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(ONE OF THE ABOVE MUST BE CHECKED BEFORE SEARCH WILL BE CONDUCTED.)

REQUESTING/AUTHORIZING AGENT COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:

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EXT. ROOM TL#

NAME; TELEPHONE #; VIN; OR
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SEARCH RESULTS

RICHARD JOHN NEUHAUS

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EXPANDED NAME CHECK: JAN 8 1992

A search of the records of appropriate United States Attorney's Offices, the central records at FBI Headquarters, the records of the Identification Division, the files of appropriate field offices, as well as appropriate computer data bases, did not identify any pertinent information identifiable with the subject of the inquiry (based on the data provided) in addition to the results of prior background investigation(s), and/or Expanded Name Check(s), and/or regular name check(s), provided herewith
dated: 4/14/87, 6/28/85, 6/25/85, and 5/10/85

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